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WELCOME NOTE OF FIRMNESS ENTERS BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE AS RIFT IN TOKYO GROWS EVER WIDER

No Orders Yet For Craigie: No Talks Under Pressure

LONDON, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—No instructions have yet been sent to Sir Robert Craigie, Reuter's diplomatic correspondent understands.

Official circles have as yet no knowledge of the reports that the Japanese military mission intends to leave Tokyo next week if negotiations are not resumed. It is stated here that the British Government's attitude has always been that no negotiations would take place under pressure.

The question of the surrender of the four men held in Tientsin is regarded as entirely outside the political settlement, and the evidence submitted against these men is now being examined here by legal authorities.

SHARP COMMENT BY "TIMES"

LONDON, Aug. 9 (T/Ocean)—Japanese impatience in the Tokyo negotiations was criticized by the "Times" this morning.

"Japanese required three weeks to formulate her extensive and complicated series of proposals and demands and she must realize that time for consideration and replying is also necessary."

The paper then states pointedly that the atmosphere at the negotiations has not improved by the "awkward attempts at intervention" by the Japanese army.

ITAGAKI SEES EMPEROR

TOKYO, Aug. 9 (T/Ocean)—The Japanese War Minister, Gen. Itagaki, was received by the Emperor to-day at the latter's summer residence to report on the latest discussions on the international situation and the attitude of the Japanese army regarding the question of foreign policy.

Gen. Itagaki was accompanied by Gen. Kelsuke Fujii who had just returned from the war zone in Central China. He informed the Emperor of the situation at the front.

CHINESE ENVOY SEES HALIFAX

LONDON, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador to the Court of St. James visited Lord Halifax at the Foreign Office to-day.

The conference lasted three quarters of an hour.

CHINA WAR NEWS:

NANKING SUBURBS UNDER CHINESE CONTROL: FRESH ATTACK IN HUPEH

CHUNGKING, Aug. 10 (Central)—Vital points around Nanking are in control of Chinese troops, according to a Shanghai message.

As a result of the disruption of communications, people in the city are finding it difficult to secure food, and other daily necessities from the suburban districts.

The latest air raid on Nanking was staged by nine Chinese machines on July 27. Bombs were dropped on the Japanese aerodrome outside the Chung Hwa Men Gate.

Japanese anti-aircraft batteries fired furiously but failed to hit any of them.

AN UNDISCLOSED PLACE SHANTUNG, Aug. 10 (Central)—Chinese forces in South Shantung have been launching a series of attacks on the Japanese at Feihien and Lin, scenes of bloody fighting last year. Considerable losses have been inflicted on the enemy.

More than 200 Japanese officers and privates were killed and wounded on Monday when a Japanese troop train on the Klaot Railway struck a mine laid by Chinese units. The train was completely wrecked.

Fresh Attack SHASI, Aug. 10 (Central)—The Chinese are launching a fresh counter-offensive on Chungsing, on the Han River in Central Hupeh. Huangmiao, Changchialai and other strategic points in the neighbourhood are reported to have been recovered.

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TO PERPETUATE SHAME

KWEICHOW BODY'S PROPOSAL

KWEIYANG, Aug. 10 (Central)—As a permanent warning to all traitors and would-be traitors, the Kweichow Cultural Association proposed that iron statues of Wang Ching-wei and his wife be erected at public squares to perpetuate their ill-fame as arch-renegades of the nation.

Wang Ching-wei's "surrender" to the enemy, the Association declared, may be likened to the traitorous action of Chin Kwei, the historical turncoat of the Sung Dynasty.

The iron statues of Chin Kwei and his wife, caged and chained and in indecorous posture, still stand beside the West Lake at Hangchow, where they are made the targets of a hundred abusive practices by visitors.

The journal states that the Japanese have paid a heavy price in lives and money for these "occupied" areas and will not likely abandon them lightly.

Concluding the journal says that Wang is now like a toothless mad dog which can do nothing despite its loud bark.

Scathing Denunciation Of Wang In Chinese Press

DESERTER FROM NATIONAL CAUSE IS BRANDED AS ARCH-TRAITOR

Wang Ching-wei's broadcast speech delivered from Canton on Wednesday night arouses scathing comments in the Hongkong Chinese press.

The "Ta Kung Pao," in a leaderette, remarks that Wang was saying things which even the Japanese have found embarrassing to mention. He was, in effect, persuading the Chinese to forget their own country and to surrender to the Japanese without further resistance.

The "National Times" says that Wang was acting as the mouthpiece of the Japanese. His "peace" formula can never be acceptable to the Chinese.

Wang, the journal states, is evidently at his rope's end. Not welcomed in Nanking, Shanghai and elsewhere, he was compelled to go to Canton. As he knew well that he alone cannot achieve "peace," he tried to appeal to the civil authorities and military commanders at the front and in the rear, especially those in Kwangtung, to help him, but in this he is bound to fail.

The journal expresses the belief that if there is no response to his appeal within two months, he will surely be kicked out by the Japanese and cannot even retain his position as a puppet.

LUGGAGE VANS STILL MYSTERY

LONDON, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—The two luggage vans which disappeared from trains from Birmingham and Leicester were found in a goods yard in Cambridge and were sent immediately to Scarborough. How the vans came to be at Cambridge is still a mystery.

It was explained earlier that labels on the luggage of holiday-makers had been washed off by rain and the vans had been placed in some obscure sidings.

JEWISH REFUGEES FOUND EXHAUSTED

HAIFA, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—Three hundred Jewish refugees were intercepted by marine police when they were found in five lifeboats cruising outside Haifa. They were wearing lifebelts and were in an exhausted condition.

The refugees were apparently transferred at sea during the night from an unknown steamer.



Why is the little man so brave?

(Detroit News)

METAL FOR MURDER

COPPER MERCHANTS THRIVE AS WAR FEAR GROWS

LONDON, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—The copper production quota has been raised from 95 to 105 per cent. on basic tonnages, with effect from Aug. 16.

The decision came as no surprise to the London metal exchange.

Well-informed quarters point out that as a result of the recent heavy world-wide demand for copper, many producers had sold well ahead, and to-day's announcement is undoubtedly intended to forestall the possibility of a runaway market in the Autumn.

The opinion is expressed that the higher quota will exercise a steady effect on the price of copper in the immediate future, but the position of the metal is now so sound that the 5,000 to 6,000 tons monthly which will thus be released will be absorbed most easily.

World consumption is now reported to be running at the rate of about 2,000,000 tons annually.

REINFORCING DEFENCES OF N.E.L.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—Leaders of different parties represented on the National Council have proposed a motion urging the necessity for reinforcing the defences of the Netherlands East Indies.

It is considered that special attention should be given to the navy and air force both from the defensive and offensive point of view.

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RIBBENTROP & CIANO TO PLOT AXIS MOVES

Spain, Yugoslavia, Hungary Within Purview Of Parleys

BERLIN, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—Danzig will be one of the first problems to be discussed when Herr von Ribbentrop and Count Ciano meet shortly at Salzburg for a conference on foreign affairs.

It is pointed out that while Danzig is clearly a problem affecting the entire axis it is, in itself, much more Germany's affair than Italy's, and Herr von Ribbentrop and Count Ciano will presumably discuss a number of other matters more directly involving Italy, including the position of Hungary and the South Tyrol migration. It is recalled that Herr von Ribbentrop saw the Hungarian Foreign Minister two days ago.

Spain and Yugoslavia and the question of Japan's joining the axis are other matters certain to arise during the conversations.

The meeting of the two Foreign Ministers will be given plenty of publicity as another demonstration of "axis solidarity" in the face of the threat of encirclement.

EARLIER MESSAGE

BERLIN, Aug. 9 (Reuter)—It is officially announced that the German Foreign Minister, Herr von Ribbentrop, and Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs, are meeting shortly to discuss questions of foreign policy. It is understood that Danzig will be the first question on the list.

The meeting of the two Foreign Ministers is possibly the basis of the recent rumours that Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini would be meeting at the end of August to discuss the Danzig situation. It is pointed out, however, that the two dictators have no need to stage an actual meeting to talk about these matters unless they have special reasons for desiring publicity.

It is doubted here whether Herr Hitler is particularly anxious to give the impression that he is relying on Il Duce's judgment to the extent of consulting him immediately before his Tannenberg speech, which he is due to make on August 27 and his speeches at the coming congress of the Nazi party at Nuremberg.

In Germany on a mountain peak there sits one man who in a single day can release the world from the fear that now oppresses it. Or, in a single day, can plunge all that we have and are into a volcano of smoke and flame. If Herr Hitler does not make war there will be no war. No one else is going to make war.

Britain and France are determined to shed no blood except in self-defence or in defence of their allies. No one has ever dreamed of attacking Germany. If Germany desires to be reassured against attack by her neighbours she has only to say the word and we will give her the fullest guarantee in accordance with the principles of the Covenant of the League.

The name of the woman is believed to be Pun Tsui.

Police investigations are proceeding.

The French Foreign Legion has acquired 300 members when this number of former Czech officers and soldiers set out for Africa from Marsella to join companies for which they had enlisted. A second transport will follow at the end of this week. Czech officers have been given the rank of sergeant in the Legion.

(Transocean)

LORRY SKIDS, KILLS MAN

HOLLYWOOD ROAD MISHAP

A fatal accident occurred in Hollywood Road about 9 o'clock last night, resulting in a Chinese being killed and another injured.

According to a police report, lorry No. 429 was proceeding down Hollywood Road when it skidded and the rear part of the vehicle swung over to the right side of the thoroughfare.

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H.K.-Manila -Chungking Phone Calls

INAUGURATION OF SERVICE BY GOVERNOR

CEREMONY ON AUGUST 15

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G., will inaugurate the Hongkong-Manila-Chungking telephone service on Tuesday, August 15, at 11 a.m., on the fourth floor of the Exchange Building in the office of the Manager of the Hongkong Telephone Company, Limited.

On completion of the opening calls the circuit will be thrown open to the Press for approximately one hour, first to Manila for the English newspapers then to Chungking for the Chinese papers.

At approximately 11.45 a.m. the Editor of the "Hongkong Daily Press" will converse with Dr. Carlos P. Romulo, Editor of the "Philippines Herald," over the Manila circuit.

The service will be opened on August 16 at 10 a.m. and calls can be booked from August 15 onwards.

DR. COLIJN TO VISIT CHINA

THE HAGUE, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—Dr. H. Colijn, who recently resigned from the premiership of the Netherlands, and Madame Colijn, are leaving Holland on a world cruise.

They will visit the Netherlands, East Indies, China, Japan and the United States.

The service will be opened on August 16 at 10 a.m. and calls can be booked from August 15 onwards.

MR. CHURCHILL SAYS

If Hitler Does Not Make War There'll Be No War

Mr. Winston Churchill in the course of a broadcast speech to America on Wednesday night said the Nazis said they were being encircled. They had encircled themselves with a ring of neighbours who had to keep guessing who would be struck down next. That kind of guess work was a very tiring game. Other countries, especially small ones, had long ceased to find it amusing.

"In Germany on a mountain

peak there sits one man who in a single day can release the world from the fear that now oppresses it. Or, in a single day, can plunge all that we have and are into a volcano of smoke and flame. If Herr Hitler does not make war there will be no war. No one else is going to make war.

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Radio Programmes

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ALL-IN BEAT AND OTHER LONDON RELAYS

"I Pagliacci" 12.00 to 12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Songs by Turner Layton at the Piano.

Let Me Whisper (Rossel & Heyman); Any Broken Hearts To Mend (Long); A Garden In Granada (Lewis and Others).

12.40 p.m. Billy Cotton and His Band.

I Like Bananas—Quickstep; Madam Ah! La Marquise Ah!—Fox-Trot; Have You Anything On To-night; Matilda Darling? (Glibert); Le Touquet (Gammerl and Others); By An Old Pugoda—Fox-Trot; The Joo-Jah Tree—Comedy Fox-Trot.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Cesare Franck—Sonata In A Major.

Alfred Cortot (Piano) and Jacques Thibaud (Violin).

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast, and Announcements.

1.45 p.m. Rawicz and Landauer, Clapham and Dwyer and Elsie and Doris Waters.

In The Parlour When The Company's Gone (K. and G. Western); Park Yourself Close To Me (Flynn Butler)—Elsie and Doris Waters (Comedians) with Piano Parade Of The Tin Soldiers (Jessel); Nola (Arndt)—Rawicz and Landauer (Piano Duet). Accents—Clapham and Dwyer. "The Street Singer" Film Selection—Rawicz and Landauer (Piano Duet). Doris With Gert And Daisy (E. and D. Waters); At The Court Of Good Queen Bess (Elsie and D. Waters)—Elsie and Doris Waters (Comedians) with Orchestra.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6.00 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—Strike Up The Band (from the film)—Billy Cotton & His Band. Fox-Trots—For No Reason At All In C: Wringin' And Twisting' Frankie Trumbauer with Six Beiderbecke and Ed. Land (in their Three Piece Orchestra). Tangos—Pacencia; El Adios — Orquesta Tipica Francisco Canaro. Quicksteps—King Porter Stomp; San Sue Strut—Harry Roy & His Orchestra. Slow Fox-Trot—Moonlight and Roses. Quickstep—Something Tells Me—Henry Jacques and His Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra. Waltz—The First Quarrel. Slow Fox-Trot—My Heart Will Never Sing Again—Henry Jacques and His Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra. Slow Fox-Trots—Two Shadows (from the film); I Won't Tell A Soul—Roy Fox and His Orchestra. Quicksteps—Lili Liza Jane; Little Spanish Sharyl—Harry Roy and His Orchestra. Faso Dobie—Trinita; Slow Fox-Trot—Maria Magdalena—Manolo Bel and His Muchachos. Fox-Trot—Love Walked In (film "Goldwyn Follies"); How'dja Like To Love Me? (film "Swing Teacher Swing")—Jack White and His Collegians.

7.00 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.02 p.m. Tino Rossi (Vocal) and Orchestra Mascotte.

Idylle Passionnelle—Waltz (Ragrade); Souvenir De Monna Lisa—Waltz (Schebek)—Orchestra Mascotte, Bella Ragazzina (from the film "Au Son Des Guitares"); Loin Des Guitares (film "Au Son Des Guitares")—Tino Rossi (Vocal) with Orch. Evening On The Rhine—Waltz (Richard)—Orchestra Mascotte, Le Chant Du Qui Paese (d'André and Others); Pescaire (Roder and Scott)—Tino Rossi (Vocal) with Orch. Moonlight On The Danube—Waltz (Byron Gay); Gypsy Love—Waltz Melodies (Lehar)—Orchestra Mascotte.

7.30 p.m. Variety.

Vocal—Simple and Sweet (Baer, Green); Summer Souvenirs (Coots, Newman); Connie Boswell with Orch. Comedian—Don Juan (Dave Preer); The A.R.P. (Kerr)—Dave Wills with Orch. Vocal—Long Time No See (Altman, Cavanaugh); Begn The Beguine (from "Jubilee"—Cole Porter); The Andrews Sisters with Bob Crosby's "Bob Cats, A Sketch—Excerpt from "The Importance Of Being Earnest" by Oscar Wilde; Lady.

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June was 9,009,750, compared with

8,838,091 at the end of June last

CHELSEA SEEK NEW PLAYERS

PREPARING FOR COMING SEASON

When the new football season is begun next month, Chelsea—under new management—will cast a net over England for fresh players. Mr. William Birrell, dark, thick-set Fifeshire man, 40 or thereabouts, who has taken executive control of the club, told me in broad accents about his plans to-day (writes a Home correspondent).

"I have four positions in mind for strengthening," he said. "Naturally I cannot say what they are, but we have about three players in mind for each position. Directors, scouts and myself will be watching them."

"Naturally, they are men likely to be available; it's no use wasting time over men who are not."

"What I would specially emphasise is that it is no use expecting me to wave a magician's wand to take the club to the top of football. Such magic just doesn't exist in real life."

"It's a matter not of weeks or months, but of years. Whenever I sign on a player I have got to think not only of his present value but of his value in five years' time."

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"Again, don't expect that magician's wand. A builder's outfit is more useful."

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10.00—Broadcast to Schools—"Glimpses of English Literature." (A).

10.20—Wheat and Grain Report (A).

10.40—"At Home and Abroad." (A)

11.05—Luncheon Music (A).

11.30—Afternoon Musical Programme (A).

p.m.

1.00—Royal National Eisteddfod of Wales: The Chairing of the Bard. Address by the Rt. Hon. D. Lloyd George (D.I.).

1.45—"The Exhibition of Spanish Pictures at Geneva." Talk by Sir Kenneth Clark (D.I.).

2.00—"At the Black Dog." (D.I.).

2.30—News (D.I.).

3.00—"Cards on the Table." (D.I.).

3.15—Sports News and Market Notes (D.I.).

3.30—Young People's Session (A).

5.25—Commentary On News (A).

6.45—"Mascotte on the March." Programme by the B.B.C. Military Band (D.I.).

7.00—Programme by the National Military Band (A).

7.15—Dance Music by Lew Stone and his Band (D.I.).

8.00—Two Pianoforte Recital by Frank Hutchens and Lindley Evans (A).

8.50—"From my Post-Bag." Sandy Macpherson at H.B.C. Theatre Organ (D.I.); Recorded Music (A).

9.15—News (D.I.).

9.20—Summary of the day's news (A).

9.30—"More Food for Thought." (D.I.).

9.45—Sports News and Market Notes (D.I.).

10.00—Plymouth Palace Theatre Orchestra (D.I.).

10.30—"The Finest Stories in the World." (D.I.).

11.00—"It's That Man, Again," with Jack Harris and his Band (D.I.).

11.45—Phil Watt Trio (D.I.).

12.00—News (D.I.).

a.m.

12.15—"Cards on the Table." (D.I.).

12.30—Balalaika Recital by Gregori Tchernikov, accom. by Geoffrey Slade, guitar (D.I.).

12.50—Sports News and Market Notes (D.I.).

SPORTS & GENERAL

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

NEW YORK, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—The following games in the Major Baseball League were played yesterday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R. H.	E.
Boston	4	7
New York	5	9

West homered for the Braves and Jorges and McCarthy for the Giants.

Battery: Lohrman and Danning.

	R. H.	E.
Boston	5	14
New York	6	11

Eleven innings Majeski homered for the Braves and Hafey for the Giants.

Battery: Hubbell and Danning.

	R. H.	E.
Cincinnati	7	11
Chicago	5	10

Berger homered for the Reds and Lettieri for the Cubs.

Battery: Thompson and Lombardi.

	R. H.	E.
Cincinnati	11	14
Chicago	3	10

Berger homered for the Reds and Lettieri for the Cubs.

Battery: Moore and Herschberger.

	R. H.	E.
Pittsburgh	4	5
St. Louis	5	9

Vaughan homered for the Pirates and Mize, Medwick and Guttridge for the Cardinals.

Battery: Sunkel and Owen.

	R. H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	9
Boston	5	8

Dimaggio and Crosetti homered for the Yankees.

Battery: Ruffing and Dickey.

	R. H.	E.
Philadelphia	5	13
Boston	8	11

Batteries: Ostermueller and Peacock.

	R. H.	E.
St. Louis	5	11
Cleveland	6	13

Battery: Dobson and Hemsley.

	R. H.	E.
Chicago	3	7
Detroit	10	12

Kuhel homered for the White Sox and Fox for the Tigers.

Battery: Rowe and Tebbets.

	R. H.	E.
St. Louis	10	12

McGraw homered for the Cardinals and Fox for the Browns.

Battery: Johnson and Dickey.

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CONFIDE IN FAITH PRIOR

VACATION TOUR

ENGAGED wishes to join a group of eight people and tour Indo-China on her vacation. Her fiance will be included in the group. There will be an escort for the tourists. Is it proper and correct to make the trip under the circumstances?

If the tour is organized purposefully for young people, as so many European tours are, with an escort that can be said "to take the place of a chaperon," then this would be proper. But to go on a general public tour, which has no personal supervision, would be a questionable thing to do, and if such is the case I advise you not to go.

TWENTY-FIVE

Twenty-five, is a well educated young woman with a business career which is quite profitable. There is a man, 47 years of age whom she has known for one year, he has lately proposed marriage, and she does not know what to do. Yes or no? She would like to marry him, but then it would not be a terrible task to refuse.

There is such a thing as being too independent, and from your letter I believe you are so inclined. You have brains, education, a good job and are fairly popular, and at the present time that is all you are asking of life though you did not actually admit it. But stop and think a minute, ten years from to-day, no doubt you will be comfortable financially, have a nice home somewhere, in fairly good health and have friends, but let me tell you, something will be missing. It will be the personal side of your life, you will commence to feel lonely, your outlook on life will become hardened through this loneliness. Most women in the world look forward to children, a happy home life with another person, and someone to depend on and have as a companion in their growing years. As youth leaves you your chances become smaller in finding such circumstances. There are people who have married after 25 years of age who were not desperately in love with each other, but through the years a deep, sincere love came into existence and lasted longer than blind love and passion. Study the character of this man, not what he has to give you materially. If you come to the conclusion that all he is looking for is a "place to light" start running in the other direction. However, if he has intelligence, security, a sense of humour and respect for you, think twice before saying no.

CORRECT WEAR

BRIDE-TO-BE will be married in a few weeks at a five o'clock wedding which will be formal. Her father does not wish to wear dark trousers and a white dinner coat, what is the correct alternative?

Your father may wear a plain black dinner suit, tuxedo. In fact, all black would be a better foil for your white bridal costume than black and white. It is not out of place to have your four bridal attendants attired in floor length, white, afternoon gowns. The white and black scheme will be unusual and outstanding.

GOOD MANNERS

Dear Faith Prior: I don't think I am ignorant, and in fact, my mother would be astonished if she heard me make the remark. But I have been taught several polite ways and means of conduct particularly regarding hotel dining in mixed company, which do not seem to be observed in Hongkong. For instance; six men and women are at dinner, doesn't the man order the menu, and when a man and woman rise from the table to dance leaving the others, isn't it the man's place to say "Excuse us?" Shouldn't he escort the lady back to her chair, not just to the table? When the lady wishes to leave the dining room shouldn't he escort her to the door and await her return? Isn't he supposed to take her cloak check and take care of the tip at the end of the evening? I thought so! Enquiring.

Dear Enquiring: Sometimes if the escort is too offensive and not really ignorant, some are that way, try sending him a book of etiquette with your personal card inside. Regarding the menu, if there is not a main host, the escort of each lady should order the menu after conferring with her. Too, you are correct about leaving the table to dance when others remain; the man should excuse the two of you. Definitely he should return you to your chair and hold it for you. However, in many cases nowadays the lady may leave the dining room with another lady in the gathering, it is not absolutely necessary for the man to escort them, but it is a nice gesture. In many public places you check your own coat in the lady's dressing room. You may give the check to your escort and at the end of the evening secure it from him, at said time he will offer you a tip for the matron or amah; however, it is not impolite if he does not, many times you keep your own check and take care of it yourself.

(Each week in this column FAITH PRIOR answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the "Daily Press.")

Toilet Water Tricks With

For hot weather have you tried this, new "pick-up"? Sprinkle a few drops of toilet water in a bowl of water filled with ice-cubes, to bathe your wrists and temples. This is also refreshing for the invalid and feverish person.

Keep a bottle of your favourite toilet water in the ice chest for a cool dousing after your hot bath or shower.

Another dainty personal procedure is to line your lingerie cabinet or drawers with some absorbent material (such as blotting paper or felt) scented with toilet water.

Have you ever tried toilet water for a quickdrying hair set or retouching your waves? It is very satisfactory and leaves a delicious fragrance lasting many hours.

When you shampoo your hair, add a few drops to the final water rinse.

And for a fragrant tubbing, add a little to the bath water.

FINGER BOWLS

Finger bowls at your formal dinner. A drop of toilet water with a "pine" scent into the cool water in the bowl is very pleasing to the male and female guest.

When the nights are hot and humid and sleep seems far away try a few drops of toilet water with a light odour on your pillow cases. It will definitely help and be very soothing.

Young ladies, sprinkle your cleansing tissues with your favourite toilet water. It will refresh you a bit at the end of a hectic day.

A little sprayed in the moth chest will give your clothes a pleasant fragrance when you take them out this autumn.

And after a wearying day of shopping on your feet, try a scented foot bath with the epsom salts, too.

Add a few drops of toilet water when your lingerie is rinsed, it will not harm the silk or cotton textures and a faint odour will remain.

A few sprays inside your glove will keep your hands smelling nice and will be pleasing to you and your companion.

AUTUMN'S FASHIONS

New Models Elegantly Sophisticated

What to do about styling for the coming fall? The Paris openings are telling the story. "Little girl" fashions of to-day are doomed, the well dressed ladies of the autumn and winter will be their age in styling and wardrobe.

The new models are elegantly sophisticated as the 18th century courtier, according to the fashion experts in the style centres.

Rosevienne's full collection introduces the Regency riding coat silhouette with a "Winged Victory" shoulder-line. Tailored black town suits have figure-moulding jackets which reach just below the hip-line. They are garnished with applications of black velvet outlined with different kinds of braid.

For instance, a black velvet four-leaf clover is outlined with soutache. Silk cording, plaited transparent paper and stripes of accordion-pleated velvet are also used.

The "Winged Victory" shoulder stands out at right angles, giving a peaked effect. Sometimes there is a set-in strip of braid or a gold chain, but the same shoulder-line runs through the entire collection.

THE NEW SHADES

The new colour tones introduced by this house include tapestry pink, carbon blue, grenadine, faded yellow and gold-shot-black. These shades go particularly well with fur coats. Paillette embroidery and lace is used on the afternoon frocks. Duchesse satin, lame and wool are all popular for evening dresses, many of which had the "Winged Victory" sleeves.

There is a group of gold, molten, copper and flowing silver evening dresses, which are draped from one shoulder across the front of the corsage to the opposite hip. The beautifully tailored black crepe, wool-crepe and cloth dresses at Lucile Paray-Jenny are worked with fagotting or fine lace insertions.

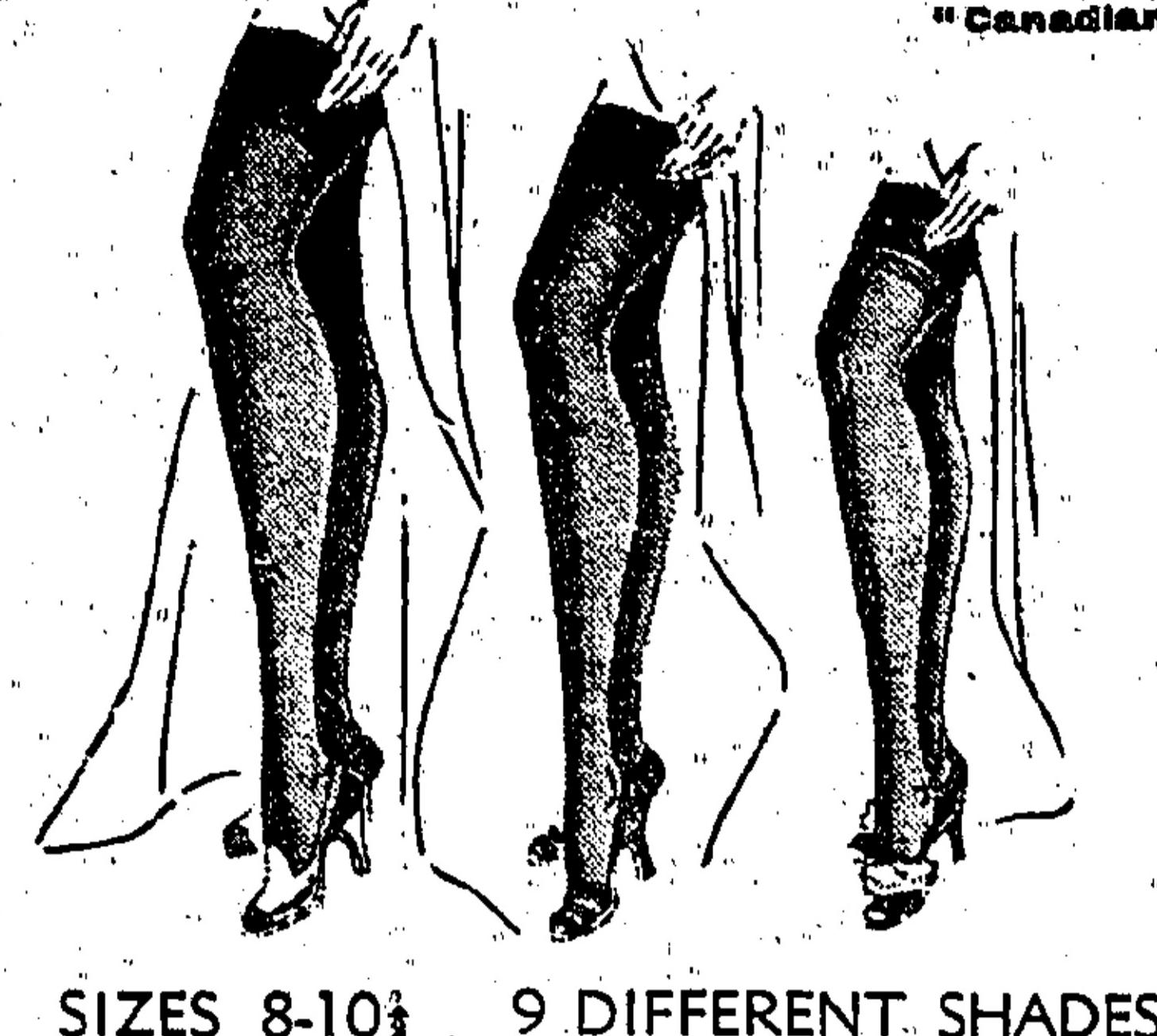
Gilded ferns and feathers, curled ostrich plumes, striped ribbons and revolutionary tricornes have all put in an appearance.

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ROUND THE SHOPS

The autumn fashions will be coming to town the end of this month, and you know perfectly well that you can't wear many of them in our climate until, at least, the end of September. But with all the excitement of new winter models you will find that few summer wardrobe accessories will be available. The middle of this month should see all the sale signs down and stocks just about sold out.

The above is definitely a last warning!

DEAUVILLE

Not travel this time—but the brand name of the famous Canadian stockings, LANE, CRAWFORD have just received new shades and restocked their size range in this particular hose which seems to wear so well in our climate.

"Gadabout" — Sunny — Burnt Sherry, Tang, Confetti, and Yum Yum! All the new shades and most expressive, they mean exactly what they are named; you'll see when you wear them on your legs.

The size range is from 8 to 10½ and in three leg lengths, short, medium and long. The texture of these hose is well known and all three grades are equally popular. The serviceable chiffon streamlines your leg and wear a bit longer, excellent for the lady who is on her feet a great deal. The crepe stocking is very smart and sophisticated and of course the chiffon texture is ultra dressy and chic.

Another advantage about "Deauville" hose is the price, these mentioned above sell at \$3.50 and up—you will agree, well worth it, quality!

PREVIEW

Just a sample of what the style will be from September onward through the winter can be viewed in BEVILLE'S, the specialty shop in the Arcade.

Street costumes in light weight wool crepe with matching fingertip jackets are smart and very wearable styles. The jackets are loose back and fitted too; this year again there will be many figures to suit the individual.

Many women will welcome the continued popularity of silk jersey knit materials tailored in day and dressy afternoon styles. One particular garment in grey displayed in this shop, has a match chapeau. If you remember, this particular material does not crush and just wears and wears.

A few afternoon cocktail frocks are in the preview group. The sleeves are long, fitted at the cuff and have the "Wing Victory" shoulder feature. The skirts are

ging locks you can afford to display. Style your hair as smartly as your granddaughters do, but avoid sharp corrugated waves. When waves are soft and sinuous, they are kinder to the face. Your scalp needs the stimulation of regular brushing, so don't snare glossy hair.

THICK EYEBROWS ARE BACK

THICK, NATURAL EYEBROWS ARE BACK IN FASHION. Eight years ago, when Garbo and Dietrich were fashion queens, women shaved off their eye-brows and painted thin black streaks across their foreheads, or plucked them into faint lines.

But this fashion is definitely out. This year hair is neat and short, faces are oval, and make-up light and natural.

Eyebrows in their natural shape frame the eyes and draw attention to their shape and colour.

The ladies of to-day's news are setting the fashion.

MRS. EDEN has naturally thick eyebrows. In 1933 she thinned them and trained them to a peak. Now in her latest news picture she is letting them grow into a natural thick arch.

GARBO'S new set of eyebrows are much thicker; and her hair is brushed off her brow and face to show them.

LADY BIRKENHEAD always had fairly thick eyebrows but at one time she trained them straight across her brow and up at the corners. Now they turn down at the corners.

JOAN CRAWFORD put her eyebrows on with a brush when she went into films. To-day they are a quarter of an inch thick.

And so one painful and never attractive fashion has gone out of beauty and style!



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tone. Too light a powder is very graying to the skin.

Do not hesitate to use a good cream powder-base in a warm glowing tint, if your skin needs colour or if there are blemishes on it. Use a delicate shade of makeup, applied high on your cheeks, and put it on with a sparing hand in the boldest light you can find. If make-up is too obvious, the effect is harsh and aging. Remember, too, that your skin tones change as the years accumulate, and powder needs to be as dark as your skin (if not darker). In order to look natural, to soften the expression, and to give a healthy

try putting it on with your little finger and massaging it well into your lips for a more subtle colouring.

If your hair is gray, a lipstick with a blue undertone is best.

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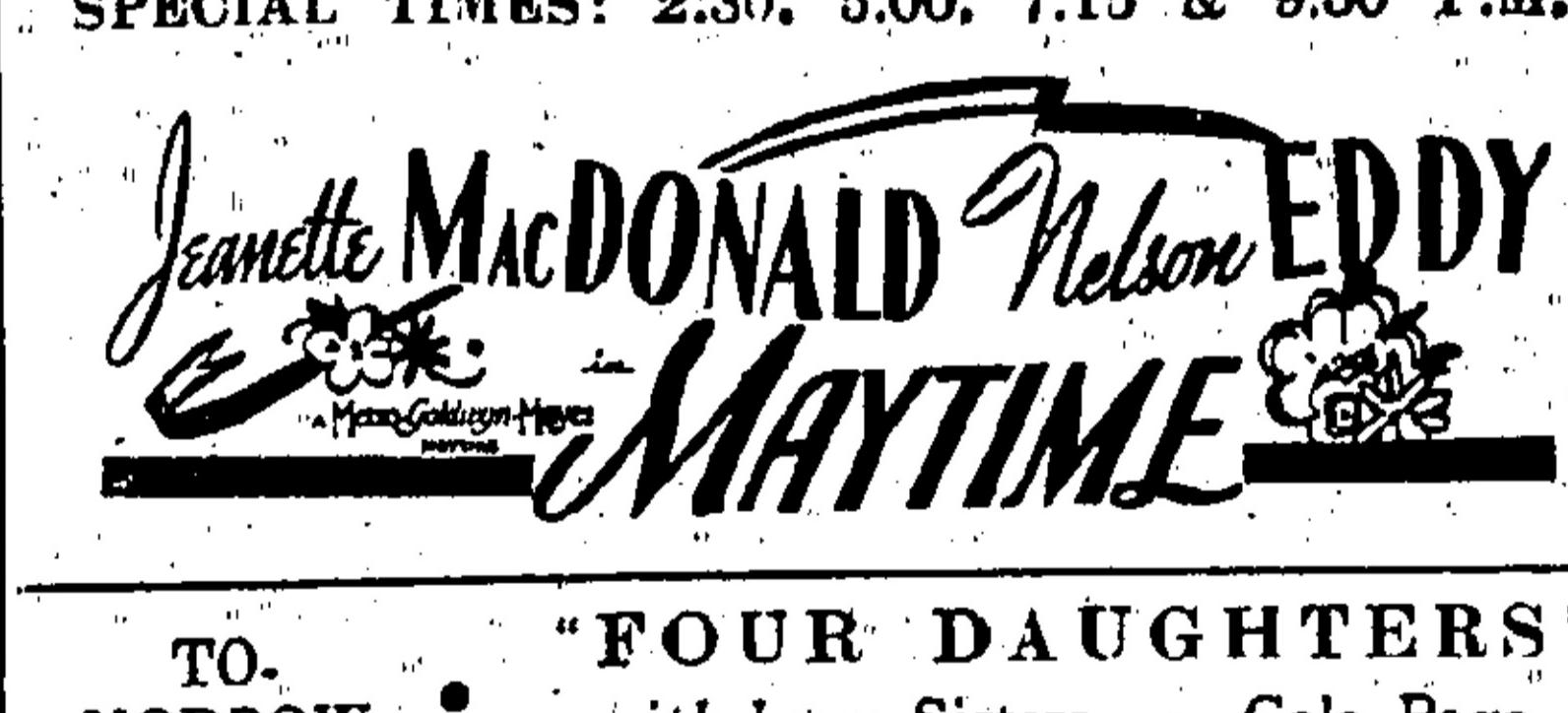
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Coming

KING'S: "Boy Meets Girl"

QUEEN'S: "Invitation To Happiness"

ORIENTAL: "Ride A Crooked Mile"

ALHAMBRA: "Invitation To Happiness"

STAR: "Four Daughters"

MAJESTIC: "Four's A Crowd"

GOLDWYN'S FINEST ACHIEVEMENT

"Wuthering Heights" At King's To-Day

When Samuel Goldwyn announced that he would make into a motion picture the great Emily Bronte classic, "Wuthering Heights," to star Merle Oberon as Cathy and Laurence Olivier as Heathcliff, under the direction of William Wyler, lovers of this poignantly dramatic and stirring romantic novel beamed at the new immortalization which their literary idol, Miss Bronte, would receive in the additional medium of the screen.

The picture, recently completed and hailed at its Hollywood preview as Mr. Goldwyn's finest achievement, will have its premiere showing at the King's Theatre to-day through United Artists release.

In support of Miss Oberon and Olivier, Mr. Goldwyn chose a handpicked cast which includes David Niven, Geraldine Fitzgerald, Flora Robson, Donald Crisp, Hugh Williams and Miles Mander. In assigning the directorial task on this production to William Wyler, Mr. Goldwyn entrusted his film to a man whose enviable reputation rests on such outstanding screen successes as "These Three," "Dodsworth," "Dead End" and "Jezebel."

Among the many lavish sets built for the picture are included an old English manor house, the beautiful home of the wealthy Lintons, Thrushcross Grange, a lavishly brilliant ballroom of 19th Century England and a typical farmhouse of the period.

CROSSWORD NO. 382

ACROSS: 1. Denude 5. Fury (5)

8. Enormous (5)

9. Brass instrument (5)

10. Proclamation (5)

11. Approximately (5)

12. Stories (5)

15. Headstrong (5)

18. Curve (3)

20. Hand-worked (6)

21. Declare (6)

22. Allow (3)

23. Scatter (5)

27. Poison (5)

30. Nimble (5)

31. Pipe instrument (5)

32. Involve (5)

33. Claw (5)

34. Legends (5)

35. Frolic (6)

DOWN: 1. Wooden shoe (5)

2. Kingly (5)

3. Excuses (5)

4. Protection (8)

5. "Grindera"

6. Destroys (5)

7. Clever-speaking (5)

13. Separate (5)

14. Coze (5)

16. Church passage (5)

17. Trunk (5)

18. Total (5)

19. Feline animal (3)

20. Fibre (6)

24. Edge (5)

25. Correct (5)

26. Requirements (5)

27. Blood vessels (5)

28. Preferable (6)

29. Blend (6)

SOLUTION TO-MORROW

EXCLUSIVE PREMIERE FOR "CAPTAIN FURY" AT NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR

The New York World's Fair, which is attracting millions of people from all over the world, was the scene of a very interesting event the other day.

For the first time since the Fair opened, a Hollywood film production was given an exclusive premiere there. The picture is Hal Roach's "Captain Fury" starring Brian Aherne, Victor McLaglen, June Lang and Paul Lucas.

In addition to the fact that this is the first important photoplay ever shown at the World's Fair, "Captain Fury" also has the distinction of being the first photoplay ever written which deals with real events in the early history of Australia, England's famed dominion below the equator.

Lavish Ceremonies

The premiere was staged as a part of the lavish ceremonies attendant upon "British Empire Day" at the World's Fair, and a distinguished group of British officials from England and the various colonies was present.

Australian commissioners, newspaper men, theatre owners and others from the land "down under" were also among the specially invited guests at the "Captain Fury" premiere. All seemed to enjoy the picture immensely.

Cordially Greeted

On the following day, "Captain Fury" opened at the Radio City Music Hall, where it was greeted very cordially by New York's thousands of theatregoers.

"Captain Fury" is an "action" picture of the "Robin Hood" genre. But it outdoes "Robin Hood" in that it deals with actual history and is much, much more up-to-date.

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Her mother is so accustomed to fractures now that she treats Valerie herself. Although she cannot walk, Valerie slides about the house with surprising agility.

Solution No. 381

ACROSS: 1. Metropolis, 7. Elder, 8. Roses, 10. Tonga, 13. Mass., 15. Set, 16. Private, 17. Nine, 18. Vale, 19. Epicure, 20. Hold, 22. Need, 24. Bevel, 27. Panel, 28. Order, 29. DOWN: 1. Modes, 2. Tart, 3. Oven, 4. Cars, 5. Issue, 6. Penman, 7. Ship, 9. Suspender, 11. Orifice, 12. Granule, 14. Speed, 15. Seven, 21. Lance, 23. Ended, 24. Blue, 25. Veer, 26. Lost.

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WOMEN'S PAGE

MORE WOMEN TO WORK IN GERMANY

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At the end of June 1939, there were altogether 21,840,000 persons gainfully employed in Old Reich, 14,800,000 being men, 7,000,000 women.

It's characteristic of the prevailing shortage of workers that the number of women employed in June increased by 88,000 whereas that of the men rose by only 74,000.

Official Report

In the official report announcing these facts it is pointed out that in June a further increase of the number of persons employed could only be effected by recruiting persons who had previously worked of their own account persons drawing pensions or living on investments and by engaging large numbers of women hitherto not gainfully employed anywhere.

No relaxation of the tension on the labour market is registered, the shortage of labour having rather increased than diminished. Particularly acute is the shortage in agriculture, building trades and metal working industries.

Garnering of May harvest could only be finished in time by obtaining the aid of men of the Labour Service, soldiers of the conscript army, volunteers, members of National Socialist Party and by granting leave to industrial workers.

Savings Banks

This unprecedented situation on the labour market has led to a further increase in the savings banks deposits. The balance sheet of the savings banks of the old Reich dated 30th June, 1939, published on Friday, shows an increase of the deposits since the end of March, 1939, by 295

NEWSETTES

Mr. P. D. Crawley, Superintendent, Stamp Office, will receive congratulations to-day on the occasion of his birthday.

Mr. D. G. E. Middelburg, Vice-Consul for the Netherlands, returned to Hongkong yesterday in the Empress of Russia.

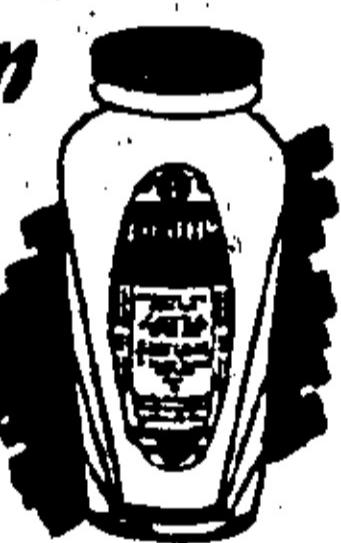
Mr. D. A. Berinoff, of the U.S. Steel Products Co., and his wife arrived here yesterday in the Empress of Russia.

Dr. T. G. Ling and Dr. S. F. Ling were among the passengers arriving here yesterday in the Empress of Russia.

News has been received of the birth of a daughter to Mrs. McGregor, wife of Mr. Ian McGregor & Co. Ltd., in Shanghai yesterday.

Wei Tsu-chi, a native of Tunglu Village, in Lungshien, West Kwangsi, recently escorted his son, a deserter from the Chinese Army, to the District Government, asking that he be sent back to the front to fight the Japanese.

Kwan Kin, 58, was remanded for 48 hours, when he appeared before Mr. R. Edwards, at the Central Court yesterday, charged with wounding with intent to maim and disable, and wounding Kwan Hui, on August 8, at No. 2, Connaught Road West, third floor.



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The following weddings took place at the Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday. Mr. T. J. Gould, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, officiated.

Mr. Chen Yung-ling, professor of Engineer, residing at St. John's Hall, and Miss Kai Ti-hua, B.A., of National Tsing Hua University of Peiping;

Mr. Chan Cheong-shing, clerk of the Luen Foo Hung, Ltd., and Miss To Fung-ling, teacher, residing at No. 312, Hennessy Road;

Mr. Wong Chan-pong, residing at No. 14, Johnston Road, and Miss Lau Foon-heung, of No. 7, Sharp Street East.

1938/39, October to June, in the Greater Reich rose to 15 million double hundred weights while in 1933 the consumption in the Old Reich was 12.8 million double hundred weights and in 1933 13 million double hundred weights while this year, if the present rate continues, the consumption will reach 19 million double hundred weights.

Despite this phenomenal consumption in the increase, experts declare that the German sugar production covers more than the demand.

DUTCH COMMUNITY CELEBRATE BIRTH OF PRINCESS IRENE

Members of Hongkong's Netherlands community last night joined in celebrating the birth of H.R.H. Princess Irene, second daughter of the Crown Princess of the Netherlands.

At a dinner party, followed by a dance, last night in the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel, some fifty or sixty ladies and gentlemen, comprising the local Dutch community, had an exceptionally enjoyable evening.

Congratulatory speeches were given by Dr. Van Woerten, the Dutch Consul-General, and Mr. Van der Laan, manager of the local branch of the Netherlands Trading Co.

HONGKONG SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAM.

The name of Chan Kai-fun, of St. Joseph's College (Pass) was omitted from the list of successful candidates in the Hongkong School Certificate Examination forwarded by the Hongkong Education Dept.

WOMAN HAS R.A. HONOUR

A slim woman with glasses and fair, greying hair drawn back into a bun, has painted the picture of the year—the Nativity in the setting of an infirmary ward.

The artist, Miss Louisa Hodgson, thirty-five, of Tynemouth, Northumberland, provided the surprise of this year's Royal Academy.

She has daringly dressed the central event of Christianity in everyday form. Mother and Child rest in an iron-framed bed; Joseph, a workman, in his best suit, stands holding a shawl; heavy-booted labourers kneel in adoration; and an old shepherd,

fresh from the fields, leans prayerfully upon a staff. Beneath the bed are a bowler hat, a paper carrier, and a toy lamb in a cardboard box.

Last year Miss Hodgson exhibited at the Academy a picture of a classical subject in an everyday setting. For "The Birth of Venus" she then chose to show the crew of a Yarmouth drifter finding in their catch a plump Venus listening through a sea-star to the sea.

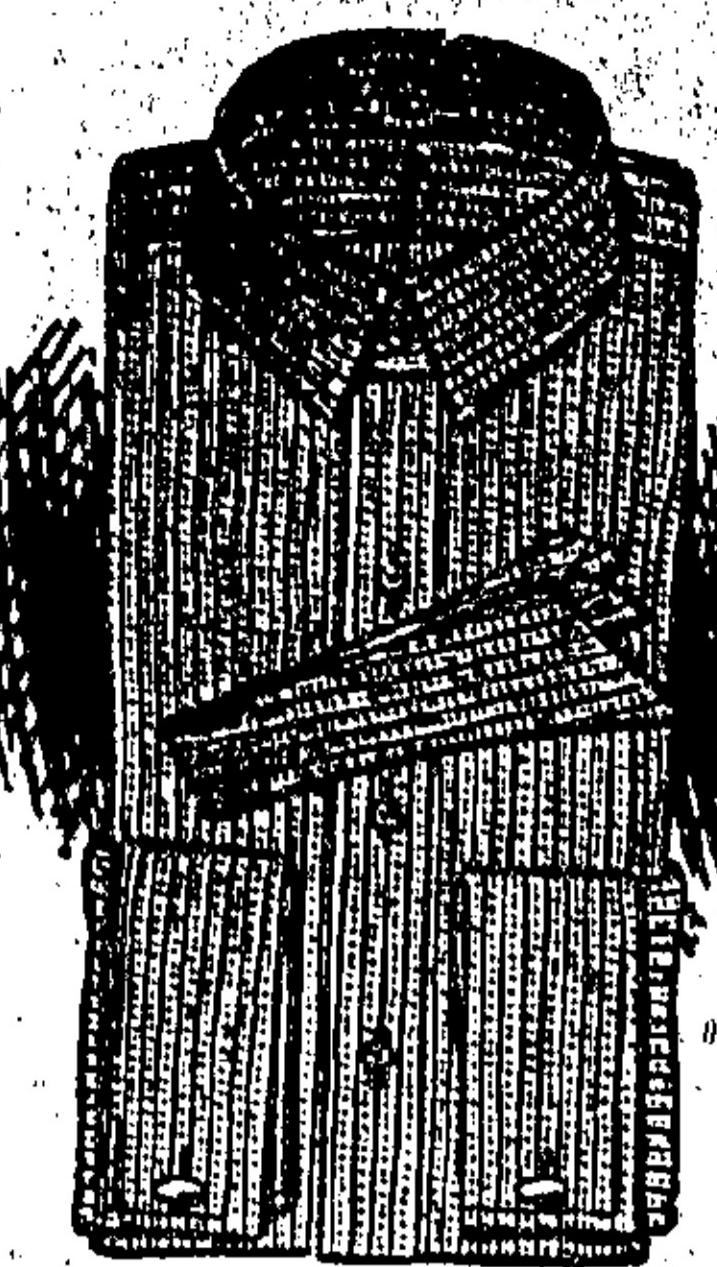
The execution of "Nativity" is so good that it has been hung in the centre of Gallery Three, where the president's picture usually hangs.

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FRIDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Sliced Oranges
Cereal
Kipper Herring
Toast
Coffee

LUNCHEON

Carrot Soup
Stuffed Tomato Salad
Chilled Crabs
Lemon Sauce
Artichokes
Potato Souffle
Ginger Cake and Chocolate Sauce
Tea

DINNER

Tomato Juice Cocktail
Red Cabbage Salad
Fish Steaks
Tartar Sauce
Hashed Potatoes
Lima Beans
Stewed Corn
Banana Fritters
Coffee

Several students intending to pursue higher studies in Britain were among the passengers who left Penang by the P. & O. liner "Chital" on July 29. They include Miss Lim Phak Lin, second daughter of Mr. and Lim Cheng Ban, who is studying medicine, Miss Mercy Sadak, niece of Mrs. A. Grand, of Penang, and two Colony Queen's Scholars, Messrs. Lim Kok Au and Lee Lian Chye.

"Malaya has nothing to fear. Her defences now are enormously stronger than was the case four years ago . . . I have seen Penang's fortifications and am impressed by them," said Major General W.G.S. Dobbie, General Officer Commanding the Troops, Malaya, in a farewell press interview before leaving Malaya on July 29.

Mr. O. B. Raven, formerly of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, was recently elected People's Warden for the parish of Shrewsbury, Berks. His daughter, Joyce Mary, has become engaged to Dr. Edward Nicholson, son of Mr. J.S. Nicholson, C.B.E., and Mrs. Nicholson, of Caterham, Surrey. Miss Raven was formerly a pupil at the Central British School.

For one sequence alone, the actress tries on at least eight hats! Her final choice in the scene is the same hat she wore when she walks into the store. And it is the hat she chooses for her own wardrobe. It is of heavy white crepe, twisted into two bands and wound around the head, Turkish fashion. An immense cabochon of emeralds joins the bands high over the right temple.

Originality is displayed in the embroidery and jewelled clasp worn with these turbans. Pearls and gold thread enhance a white velvet turban; gold coins tinkle on a magenta crepe; another is looped through twin bracelets of hammered silver.

Here at last is a hat fashion which draws neither the sneers of the men, the sighs of the women, nor the disinterest of the fashion designer.

But it does draw the approval of Hedy Lamarr.

THIRD COURT MARTIAL ON TAMAR IN A WEEK

Capt. Flynn Sentenced To Be Reprimanded: Grounding Of Tarantula

THE THIRD NAVAL COURT-MARTIAL in six days was held on board H.M.S. Tamar yesterday, when Captain F. C. Flynn, Commander of H.M.S. Tarantula, and Senior Naval Officer on the West River, was found guilty on a charge that "he, being the Officer Commanding H.M.S. Tarantula, did negligently perform the duty imposed upon him in that he omitted to be on the bridge during a period when the ship was passing close to a known and hidden danger on July 11," and was sentenced to be reprimanded.

During the case evidence for prosecution was given by Lieut. H. F. O. Hale, who had been court-martialled and sentenced to be reprimanded on Tuesday for "negligently or by default stranding or hazarding the Tarantula on July 11," he then becoming Officer on the watch.

The Court comprised Capt. Clement Moody (Eagle) President, Capt. G. M. K. Keble-White (Medway), Cmdr. J. A. C. Hill (Westcott), Cdr. H. H. Palmer, Lt.-Cdr. A. Lade (Tamar), Judge Advocate.

Capt. A. R. M. Bridge (Eagle) prosecuted, and accused was represented by Comdr. E. V. Lees and Pay. Comdr. C. S. B. Hickman.

The circumstantial letter stated that on July 11, 1939, H.M.S. Tarantula was on passage from Canton to Hongkong and at about 12.30 passed about 7 cables to the Southwest of Ma Chau Island, intending to pass through Urmston Road, Lieutenant H. F. O. Hale, First Lieutenant of the Tarantula, had charge of the afternoon watch.

About 1.12 p.m., when the ship was approximately four cables to the southwest of Black Point, the accused visited the bridge. He was entirely satisfied with the distance of the ship from Black Point at that time, and with the ship's course. The ship was heading S. 32 deg. E. by compass at that time giving a clearance from Tap Slak Kok of about two cables only. He did not remain on the bridge however to see the ship safely navigated past Tap Slak Kok.

It is evident that between 1.12 and 1.22 p.m. the Officer of the Watch allowed the ship to get too close to the shore between Black Point and Tap Slak Kok. At 1.22 p.m. the ship grounded on a rock close to westward of the latter point. The rock was almost certainly that which appears on the chart about half a cable off the point. The accused was not on the bridge at the time of the grounding.

The ship was being piloted by eye and the Officer of the Watch had the accused's authority to make alterations of course as required without reference to his Captain.

It cannot be contended, however, that this method of navigation is necessary or applicable in the locality where the ship grounded. The pilotage of a vessel through Urmston Road is a matter of plain navigation similar to that in any pilotage waters. By making use of land fixes combined with a clearing bearing of Red Point on Chu Lu Kok Island a ship can be more easily and more safely navigated than the road than by eye. Further it cannot be said that in this locality the Officer of the Watch's local knowledge exceeded that of the Captain, thereby justifying the accused in leaving the navigation solely in the hands of the Watch's hands.

Between Bocca Tigris and Hongkong the worst danger to be avoided in clear weather is the rock off Tap Slak Kok. In spite of this, however, and the small clearance being given to this danger, accused failed to be on the bridge while passing it.

As Captain of the ship it was considered that accused should have remained on the bridge after passing Black Point with the ship heading so close inshore. Had he done so he would have observed that the ship was getting too close to the land, and would have been in a position to take steps to avoid it. His failure in the above respect constituted, it was submitted, a grave neglect of duty and contributed towards the grounding, rendering him guilty of the charge preferred against him.

20 CASES OF CHOLERA ON AUGUST 9

Twenty cases of cholera, all from the Victoria registration district, were notified to the Health Department on August 9, in addition to 16 cases of tuberculosis, 4 cases of enteric fever, 2 cases of dysentery and one case each of cerebro-spinal fever and measles.

Twelve cases of cholera were notified to the Health authorities on August 8 and the total number of deaths last week was 20.

GENERAL

ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME FOR MACAO'S GOVERNOR

PORTUGUESE COLONY EN FETE: HUGE LANTERN PROCESSION STAGED BY CHINESE COMMUNITY

From Our Own Correspondent

MACAO, Aug. 9.—Macao, festooned with coloured bunting and decorated with elaborate pavilions, to-day staged one of the biggest demonstrations ever to be witnessed in this Colony as the population, both foreign and Chinese, turned out to welcome H.E. the Governor of Macao, Dr. Artur Tamagnini de Sousa Barbosa, on his return from his official visit to Portugal where he attended the National Conference in Lisbon.

With such a scene of wild enthusiasm, especially among the Chinese, with whom he has always been a popular figure, was His Excellency disembarked amid a pouring shower, to the accompaniment of exploding firecrackers and salutes from batteries of the Artillery Company set up near the wharf.

The Taishan was met at the Porto Exterior by a fleet of racing sampans, each manned by about twenty oarsmen whose strokes were timed by a gong at the stern. These and other small motor crafts followed the ship into the Inner Harbour where thousands jammed

"Offer Gold" Drive Gets Under Way

The "Offer Gold" drive in Hongkong started yesterday, when several thousand dollars were collected at a few of the official centres.

At the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, a sum of \$13,330 (National Currency) was received, as well as 80 cents Hongkong currency.

Other results were: Kam Ling Restaurant, \$500 N. C. the sum being the contribution of the management, public contributions not counted; Peho Theatre, \$1,000 N. C. the contribution of the management; Po Hing Theatre, \$3 N. C. and \$10.50 H. K.; Collections at the Ying King Restaurant were not available last night.

Collection booths have also been placed at the China Emporium, Sincere Co., Ltd., The Sun Co., Ltd. and the Wing On Co., Ltd., while many other Chinese business concerns and public institutions are also actively participating in the drive, which will close on August 15.

ALLEGED STAMP FRAUD: BAIL IN \$5,000

A further remand of one week was granted in the case in which a clerk and a postman of the General Post Office, and four stamp dealers were charged before Mr. T. J. Houston, at the Central Court yesterday, with conspiracy to defraud.

They were Lo Kwok-leung, clerk, Lo Shing, postman, and Yu Sul Tong Shui-tong, Chan Tsum and Cam Sai stamp dealers.

Defendants were alleged to have falsely pretended that certain stamped envelopes were first-day covers and had been cancelled by the General Post Office on January 11.

Two further charges of possession of a forged document and a forged die were preferred against Cam Sai.

Sub-Insp. C. Goodwin appeared for the prosecution, whilst Mr. Alfred Y. Hon is appearing for Lo Kwok-leung and Mr. H. A. da B. Etelbo is representing Cam.

Defendants were all allowed bail in the sum of \$5,000 each.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following is a list of unclaimed telegrams lying at Cable & Wireless, Ltd., Hongkong Branch: Blawatson, care Chellaram, from Singapore.

Pete Grimm, Peninsula Hotel, from Manila.

Freeman Stanley Barracks, from Gosporthians.

Pietro Fosburgh, Amexco, from Boston Mass.

Blunt, Empress of Canada, Cacapac, from Canton.

Consul Blunt, as Empress of Canada, from Canton.

Molland, from Macao.

Taylor, University, from Tientsin.

Bledsoe, Gloucester Hotel, from Shanghai.

Jardine, from Macao.

RECORD TRAFFIC SUMMONSES

A record number of summonses, totalling 85, against Europeans and Chinese car-owners in the Colony, chiefly for failing to carry their licence disc in such a manner as to be visible, came before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday, and fines of \$5 each were imposed.

Among the defendants were D. L. Bosquet, of 354 The Peak, G. Milne, of the Dairy Farm, W. J. Morris, of Hongkong Land Investment Co., V. Rodionoff, E. Hammom, of Meira Schmidt and Co., Roche Ram, S. J. Cork, of 273 The Peak, E. Lewis, of A. and S. Hancock Bank Building, Capt. E. W. F. de V. Hunt of Stanley, and J. F. Shea.

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GERMAN & ITALIAN TROOPS MASSING ON YUGOSLAV FRONTIER: FEARS OF ANOTHER EUROPEAN CRISIS

Axis Pressure Anticipated With Even More Dangerous Moves

LONDON, AUGUST 10 (REUTER)—REPORTS FROM THE YUGOSLAV FRONTIER AROUSE FEARS THAT YUGOSLAVIA WILL BE THE CENTRE OF THE NEXT EUROPEAN CRISIS, WRITES THE SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT OF THE "NEWS-CHRONICLE" IN BELGRADE.

The correspondent adds that it is reliably reported that the Italians in Albania and the Germans in the region of the Slovene border are moving and massing their troops in a highly suggestive manner.

Leading political and military circles in Belgrade fear that the Axis Powers may soon bring pressure to bear on Yugoslavia to assure her that her "neutrality" in case of war would be of a highly beneficial type economically and strategically.

Yugoslavia would be expected, among other things, to allow her roads and railways to be used for Axis military purposes.

It is certain that Yugoslavia will not agree and it is expected, therefore, that within a few weeks terrific press campaigns, which will be followed by more dangerous moves, will begin in Germany and Italy against "disloyal" Yugoslavia.

Hitler Dissatisfied With Hungary's Friendship

LONDON, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—The diplomatic correspondents of both the "Daily Telegraph" and the "Daily Herald" report substantial movements of German troops on the Moravian-Slovak frontier.

The "Telegraph's" correspondent adds that units are proceeding in a southerly direction.

Both diplomatic correspondents say that pressure is being exerted on Hungary by Germany, as Herr Hitler is not satisfied with Hungary's bare reaffirmation now and again of her friendship with the Axis Powers.

The "Herald's" diplomatic correspondent states that Herr Hitler's planned visit to Budapest in June had to be abandoned because the Hungarians flatly refused to admit some thousands of Gestapo agents to watch over Herr Hitler's safety.

BERLIN, Aug. 10 (T/Ocean)—Field-Marshal Goering, who returned here yesterday from a three weeks' tour of inspection in the course of which he visited the western frontier fortifications as well as various air force establishments and armament factories, granted an interview to the "Berliner Nachtausgabe" in which he gave an account on the impressions he gained during his journey and also referred to various political questions.

GERMAN MOTIVES
After comparing the tranquillity of the German nation with the calm shown by Chancellor Hitler in his conduct of Germany's policy at the present critical time, Field-Marshal Goering affirmed that the responsibility for the European crisis lay, not with Germany, but with the advocates of encirclement.

He expressed the regret that some statesmen who favour the encirclement, and some foreign journalists had not accompanied him on his journey.

Neither foreign statesmen nor journalists had any knowledge of the German nation and, since, could not appreciate the motive which inspired it to resolutely demand peace which shall conform to its national wishes.

CALM AND HOPEFUL
The Field-Marshal went on to say that it is impossible that a nation capable of such achievements, should accept lessons from other nations as to how its peace and its existence should be shaped. The German Nation has calm and full of hope, because it trusted the Fuehrer and believed in the maintenance of peace.

But, it was determined to defend itself should Europe be plunged into war through no fault of its own.

"When I read the speeches made in Poland and the articles which appeared in the Polish press, I could only explain them as an outcome of hysterical panic which deprived their authors."

HISTORICAL PICTURE
VENICE, Aug. 10 (T/Ocean)—A picture of the historical aspect of the present European crisis was given in a speech by Dr. Goebbels at an extraordinary meeting of the Confederation of Free Professions in Venice on Wednesday.

"Europe," said Dr. Goebbels, "is in a very serious crisis which will not be overcome as long as the vital interests of poor nations are not satisfied and it is nonsense to talk of peace so long as this crisis continues."

"This crisis can be overcome by thorough measures only. We are to-day more or less in the same position that Europe was in the period between 1789 and 1848 and if a revolution has become due, individual peoples have a historical duty to begin it."

CHINA WAR NEWS

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In the Honan-Hupch border regions the Japanese invading Kaocheng, Lishan, Chikumao and Kiangchialao have suffered defeat at Chinese hands and are falling back to Suhsien, 105 miles north-west of Hankow.

Threat To Pootung

CHUNGKING, Aug. 10 (Central)—The Japanese are yet unable to "pacify" Pootung after almost two years of occupation. Chinese guerrillas are increasingly active there, according to Shanghai dispatches.

Both Nanwei and Fengtsien, important towns in Pootung, are seriously threatened by the guerrillas. Guerrilla units at Poshan at the mouth of the Yangtze River near Woosung, about 15 miles north of Shanghai, have crossed the Yangtze to Pootung to assist in harassing the Japanese.

Hunan Town Attacked

LOYANG, Aug. 10 (Central)—Chinese units launched a fierce attack on Fostang, east of Tainyang on the north bank of the Yellow River in northern Honan, yesterday morning. They succeeded in penetrating into the west and north parts of the town, killing a number of Japanese.

Severe Fighting

LOYANG, Aug. 10 (Central)—Fighting on the Yicheng-Tsinshui sector in southeast Shantung is increasing in severity following the arrival of more than 2,000 Japanese reinforcements in Tungwuling and Kuchen, west of Tsinshui.

Three Japanese columns are participating in the present eastward drive from Yicheng with Tsinshui as their objective. They have encountered stiff Chinese resistance.

The Chinese have recaptured Yactow and are developing an enveloping movement to bottle up the advancing Japanese.

SUSPECTED TIENSIN TERRORISTS

LEGALITY OF HANDING OVER TO JAPANESE IS QUESTIONED: WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

LONDON, AUG. 10 (REUTER)—TWO OF THE LEADING LEGAL AUTHORITIES, PROF. NORMAN BENTWICH AND MISS SARA MARGERY FRY, J.P., M.A., HAVE SENT A TELEGRAM TO LORD HALIFAX STATING: "WE ARE ALARMED AT THE RUMOUR THAT THE CHINESE SUSPECTS AT TIENSIN MAY BE HANDED OVER TO THE JAPANESE AUTHORITIES."

"We consider the legality of this action should be tested by a writ of habeas corpus in Shanghai, for which we propose to apply."

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KING'S TRIBUTE TO RESERVE FLEET

LONDON, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—Two Birmingham L.R.A. suspects, aged 18 and 21 respectively, were deported from Liverpool yesterday.

"When one, bound for Dublin, boarded the ship, steerage passengers greeted him with shouts of "Up I.R.A."

NEW SECRETARY GENERAL OF FALENCE

BURGOS, Aug. 10 (T/Ocean)—The New Secretary-General of the Falange, General Munoz Grande, is regarded by political quarters here as a representative of the younger generals who have been supporters of the Falange for a considerable time.

Gen. Munoz Grande received his military training in Morocco in hard fighting against natives. Shortly before the outbreak of the civil war Gen. Grande had become Assistant Chief of Police.

The Popular Front regime, however, dismissed the General from this post because of his nationalistic sympathies and, after the outbreak of the civil war, Gen. Munoz Grande was arrested in Madrid and sentenced to death. The death sentence, however, was not carried out and the General came to Nationalist Spain by way of prisoners exchange.

The King, in a message to the Vice-Admiral of the Reserve Fleet said that the bringing forward for sea service of so many ships in a few days had proved how smoothly the organisation worked.

"The efficiency and smartness obtained in such a short time after commissioning can only be achieved by enthusiasm and the whole-hearted co-operation of all hands, and it leaves no doubt in my mind that the fleet will quickly reach a high standard of fighting efficiency."

The King sent hearty congratulations and good wishes to all of the Reserve Fleet.

Vice-Admiral's Reply

The Vice-Admiral replied that the King's visit would encourage the officers and men to give their best to the task of bringing the ships to a high state of fighting efficiency.

WAR RESOURCES BOARD FOR U.S.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10 (Reuter)

The announcement of the formation of a Civilian Advisory "War Resources Board" to advise the military services in the current joint operation of the forces, was made jointly yesterday by the Army and the Navy.

The Board will also become, in an emergency, an executive agency with broad powers, similar to the War Industries Board during the Great War.

TENSE ATMOSPHERE AT INNER CABINET MEETING IN TOKYO

War Minister Explains Army's View Point In "Strongest Terms"

TOKYO, Aug. 10 (Reuter)—The atmosphere at yesterday's conference of the Inner Cabinet, further details of which have become known, is described as being tense.

It is reported that Gen. Itagaki, the War Minister, stated forcefully, in detail, the army's viewpoint of what he described as a "new situation in international relations."

He referred particularly to Japan's relations with the Soviet and Britain and also dealt with the abrogation of the United States Commercial Treaty.

Gen. Itagaki laid down in the strongest terms the Army's "immutable policy for an immediate solution of the European problem."

It is believed that the Inner Cabinet will meet again at the week-end to discuss the matter, having refrained for the moment from taking a final decision owing to the magnitude of the issues involved.

British Protest

TIENTSIN, Aug. 10 (T/Ocean)

The British Consul-General in Tientsin, Mr. E. C. Jamieson, addressed a written protest to the Japanese Consul-General, Mr. Shigenori Tashiro, concerning the latest anti-British demonstrations and requesting the Japanese authorities to suppress further anti-British acts in the occupied territory.

According to a Chinese press report, Mr. Jamieson also asked for Japanese police protection of the premises of British concerns in these areas.

A Japanese reply has not yet been drawn up.

FRANCO-U.S. REPRESENTATIONS TO JAPAN TIENSIN ISSUES ARE REJECTED AS UNREASONABLE

TOKYO, AUG. 10 (REUTER)—THE FRENCH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES YESTERDAY IS REPORTED TO HAVE MADE PRESENTATIONS TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE TO THE EFFECT THAT FRANCE HAD COMMON INTERESTS WITH BRITAIN IN THE TIENSIN CURRENCY AND SILVER STOCKS ISSUES AND TO HAVE REQUESTED JAPAN TO RECOGNIZE THAT FACT.

It is understood that the United States Charge d'Affaires, Mr. Dooman, on Tuesday emphasized at the Foreign Office that the United States was interested in the same issues.

The "Asahi Shimbun" states that the Foreign Office, replying to the French and American representations, expressed its determination to deal hereafter as heretofore with Britain alone and rejected the representations as unreasonable.

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It being the wish of the publishers of the Hongkong Daily Press to emphasize Sino-British friendship as the theme of the special supplement, a cover design clearly presenting this theme is being sought. With a view to securing a suitable design, it is proposed to hold a contest, the rules of which follow:

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3. The central theme of the design must be "Sino-British Friendship."

4. Designs submitted must reach the Director of the Contest on or before August 31, 1939.

5. Competitors may send in as many designs as they wish but each design must be accompanied by a special form provided by the Hongkong Daily Press or clipped therefrom. The names and addresses of competitors must be written plainly in English on these forms but no name or mark shall be attached to the design itself.

6. Designs acceptable for the contest shall be divided into two classes:

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b. Design in outline or a description, or idea, of a design.

7. Prizes for the winning designs shall be as follows:

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"B" class—First prize \$20
Second prize 5

8. Winning designs or ideas shall become the property of the Hongkong Daily Press but others may be returned upon application.

9. All winners will be given three months' free subscription for the Hongkong Daily Press. Non-winners shall be given a month's subscription free of charge.

10. Results of the contest will be announced not later than September 10, 1939.

11. The decision of the Contest Judges shall be final.

12. The Hongkong Daily Press reserves the right to use, or not to use, the winning design for the cover of the Special 82nd Anniversary Supplement.

The following form must be filled in the hand-writing of the competitor, properly signed, and securely attached to the design submitted.

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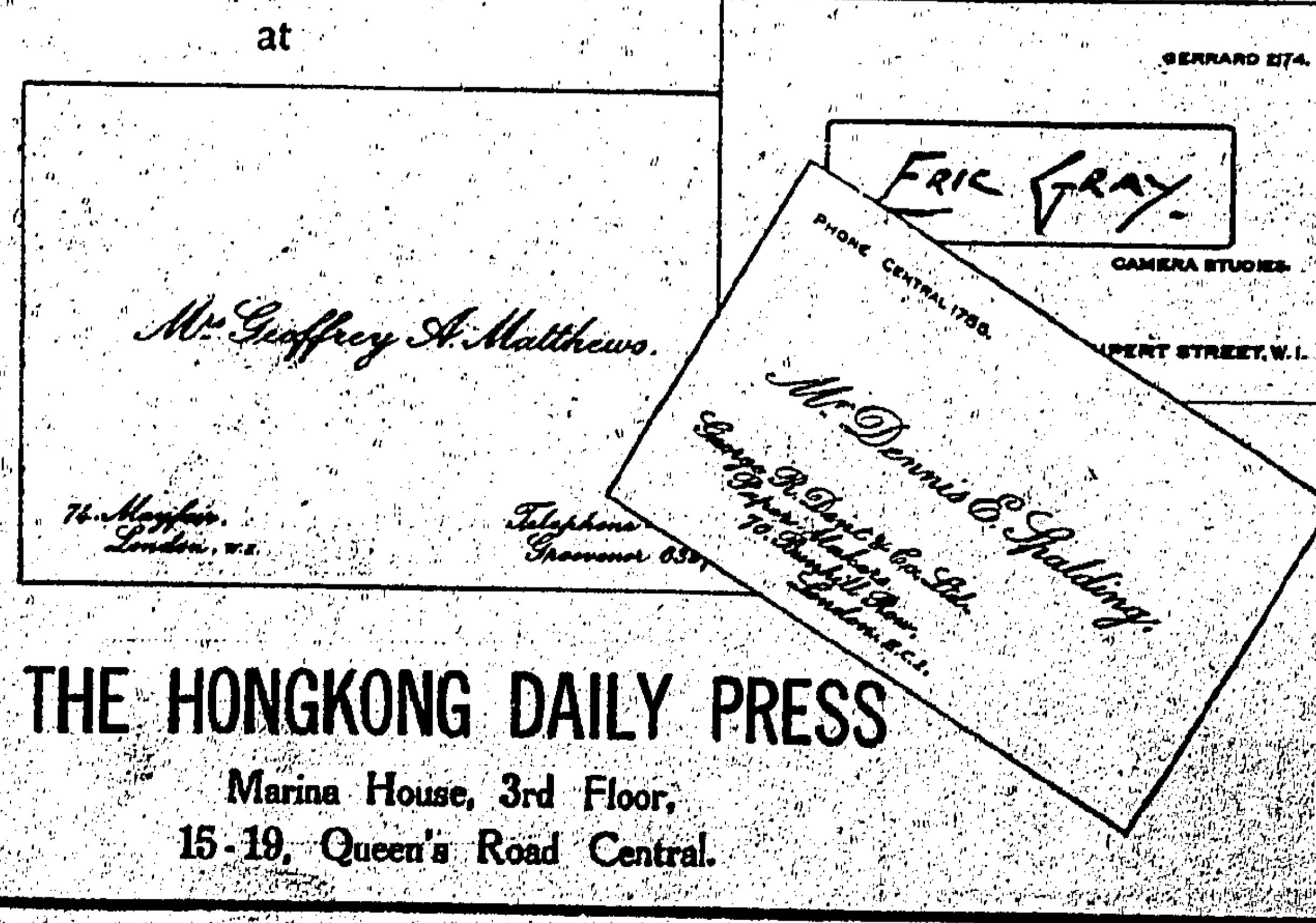
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H.K. PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY TO PRESENT "NO, NO! NANETTE"

The Committee of the Hongkong Philharmonic Society have announced that arrangements have now been completed for the presentation of the Musical Comedy "No No Nanette" at the Queen's Theatre on December 13-15.

The production will be in the very capable hands of Mr. W. Robertson, who has been connected with many Philharmonic successes in the past. The Musical Direction will be in the equally capable hands of Surgeon Captain G. V. Hobbs, R.N.

It will be remembered that this most successful musical comedy was first produced under the direction of Messrs. Clayton and Waller at the Palace Theatre, London, in 1925. The cast included the following well-known artists Miss Elinor Hale, Miss Vera Pearce, Mr. George Grossmith, Mr. Joseph Coyle, and Mr. Seymour Beard.

POPULAR WORK

To emphasize the continued appeal of this very popular work, with its brilliant dialogue and haunting melodies, it is observed that during the year 1938, it was produced by over 40 amateur societies in Great Britain alone.

Readers will certainly not require any introduction to the musical numbers of which "Tea For Two" and "I Want To Be Happy" are perhaps the most popular.

It is imperative that the cast should include a very bright troupe of dancers and as it is understood that there are a few vacancies in the Society it is suggested that any lady or gentleman who may be interested should communicate with the Hon. Secretary.

Rehearsals are due to commence at the beginning of September.

CHINESE P.C. ACCUSED OF EXTORTION

BENCH RESERVES JUDGMENT

After submissions made by Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ for the defence in the case in which a constable C507, Ng Kwok, was charged with extortion of \$3 from Cheng Ping, on July 12, Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central Court yesterday reserved judgment until 10 a.m. today.

Insp. A. V. Baker prosecuted whilst Mr. L. A. Searle, A.S.P., was also present.

P.C. A115, W. E. Watson, said that he was on patrol in Leighton Hill Road when he noticed an obstruction outside a house in Hyson Road. He told a woman to remove the objects. He met defendant and instructed him to tell the people to cease the obstruction. On the following night he again saw the obstruction. He told complainant, Cheng Ping, that he would take out summons against him, when the latter said he had given \$3 to the Chinese police constable.

Cheng Ping, master of a shop at No. 7 Hyson Road, said that a Chinese constable whose number was either 6507 or C507 asked witness to walk with him to a place near the Lee Theatre, where the constable said that the European sergeant was giving complainant a chance this time, and it would be best to give him some money to drink tea or wine. He asked what amount and the Chinese constable said at least \$3 or \$4.

Wong Sze-mui, 25, wife of the complainant, also gave evidence, as did two carpenters, Li Kin and Chan Hong.

Defendant denied the charge. He neither received any money nor mentioned anything about money to the complainant.

AIRPORT NEWS

Imperial Airways:

NORTHBOUND

Monday: Bangkok, Hanol, Hong-kong.

Dordoi, Denebola—4 and 5 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND

Tuesday: Hanol, Bangkok.

Delphinius—7 a.m.

Air France:

NORTHBOUND

Wednesday: France, Hanol, Hong-kong.

Service—noon.

SOUTHBOUND

Wednesday: Hanol, France.

Service—1.30 p.m. (same day).

Pan American Airways:

EASTBOUND

Wednesday: U. S. A., Manila,

Hongkong.

Honolulu Clipper—2 p.m.

WESTBOUND

Thursday: Manila, U.S.A.

Honolulu Clipper—8.30 a.m.

LOCAL ESTATES

Local estate to the value of \$3,100 was left by the late Mr. Frederic James Leonard Fish, who died at the Victoria Cottage Hospital, Sidmouth, Devon, on August last. An application for sealing exemplification of probate of the will by Ralph A. Wadeon, solicitor, was granted.

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MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS New York Exchange AUG. 10, 1939

On London:	New York, Aug. 9 (Reuter).
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 19/38	T.T. on London (Opening Rate).
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 19/38	4.68-1/8.
Credits 4 months' sight 1/2 19/38	
On Shanghai:	
On demand 350	
On Singapore:	
On demand 51 3/4	
On Japan:	
On demand 104	
On India:	
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 19/38 and demand 81 1/4	
On New York:	
Bank Bills, on demand 28 7/18	
Credits, 60 days' sight 28 10/18	
On Batavia:	
On demand 53 1/4	
On Paris:	
Bank Bills, on demand 1073	
Credits 4 months' sight 1415	
On Saigon:	
On demand 107	
On Manila:	
On demand 37 1/8	
On Bangkok:	
On demand 153 1/4	
Sterling Notes:	
Bank Buying Rate ... 1/3 13/16	
Bar Silver per oz. 16 7/8	

Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS.

The price for Ready Silver was unchanged yesterday at 18.7/8 but the forward rate dropped 1/16 to 16 1/2. Silver advices reported India as having bought and speculators as having operated both ways. A small business was done, the market being steady. American Silver was quoted at 34 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 468.12. New York-London was quoted at 468.1/8.

Markets

Inclined to easiness at the opening but later the undertone appeared steadier.

Sterling

Business was done early in the morning at 1/2 21/32 for near 1/2 19/32 for April and 1/2 9/16 May. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 1/2 25/8 Cash/December and 1/2 19/32 January/March, probably April, buyers at 1/2 21/32 for cash, 1/2 5/8 January and 1/2 19/32 June.

U.S. Dollars

Quiet. Business was done at 28 1/2 for September. The market closed, with sellers at 28 1/2 August/September, 28 7/18 October and 28 3/8 November, buyers at 28 9/18 Cash, 28 1/2 first half October and 28 7/16 November.

Shanghai Dollars

Opened at 382 and towards lunch time sellers were quoted at 400 nominal.

Shanghai Market

Erratic. Opened with sellers of Sterling at 3 1/4 and closed with sellers at 3 19/32 for Spot.

Afternoon Market

The market was quiet in the afternoon.

Sterling

No business was reported, finishing with sellers at 1/2 25/8 August/November, 1/2 19/32 January/March and 1/2 9/16 April/May, buyers at 1/2 21/32 Cash, 1/2 5/8 probably December and 1/2 19/32 May.

U.S. Dollars

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Shanghai Dollars

Sellers at 408.

Shanghai Market

Sellers at 3 19/32 for Spot.

Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, Aug. 10 (Reuter).

Official T.T. Rates

Opening London 0/3-1/2 New York 6-13/18 Japan 25 India 19-1/2 Paris 23/7 Hongkong 23-3/4

Open Market—Selling Rate

Sellers Opening Closing Spot 0/3-3/4 0/3-19/32 Aug. 0/3-21/32 0/3-1/2

U.S. Dollars

Spot 47-5/16 57 Aug. 7-1/8 6-13/18 Market—Quiet

Merchant Rates

Sterling 0/3-9/16 U.S. Dollars 38-15/16

Commodity Index

47/18

India Rupee Paper

New York, Aug. 9 (Reuter). Govt. 3% Rupee, 97-02-0.

Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, Aug. 9 (Reuter). T.T. on Japan, 78-1/2.

London Exchange

London, Aug. 9 (BWS). Closing mean rates were:

Paris, 176-23/32. New York, 4.68-1/8. Montreal 4.68-1/16. Brussels, 27.55/1. Geneva, 20.73/4. Amsterdam, 8.89. Milan, 88. Berlin, 11.66. Other Rates Unchanged.

LONDON GOLD

London, Aug. 9 (Reuter). Bar Gold, Fine per oz, 148 6/4. Dollar Parity, 1/2d. premium.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATION

STOCKS

Last Sale Aug. 9

Adams Express 72 Alleghany Steel Co. 174 Allied Stores 82 Allis Chalmers 34 Aluminum Ltd. 120 Amerada Corp. 61 Amer. Can 101 Amer. & Foreign Power 21 Amer. & Foreign \$7 pf. 20 Amer. Gas & Elec 33 Amer. Locomotive 17 Amer. Metals Co. 27 Amer. Radiator 11 Amer. Rolling Mill 14 Amer. S'ring & R'ing Co. 44 Amer. Sugar Ring 166 Amer. Tel & Tel 166 Amer. Tobacco "B" 84 Amer. Waterworks 11 Anaconda Copper 252 Atchison, T. & S. Fe. 26 Adams Express 72 Baltimore & Ohio 44 Barber Asphalt Co. 121 Barnsdall Oil 124 Bendix Aviation 234 Bethlehem Steel 593 Bliss & Co. 102 Boeing Airplane Co. 21 Borg-Warner 234 Biggs Manufacturing 21 Brooklyn-M'hattan Trans. 123 B'klyn-M'hattan Trans. 123 Canadian Pacific R'way. 4 Case, J.L. 253 Celanese 344 Chrysler Corp. 304 Columbia Gas & El. 75 * Curtis Wright (C.) 5 Curtis Wright "A" 25 Deere & Co. 188 Distillers Corp. Seagrams 184 Douglas Aircraft 672 DuPont de Nemours 160 Eagle Picher Lead 9 Eaton Mfg. Co. 25 Elect. Autolite 354 Elec. Bond & Share 93 Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pf. — Elec. Bond & Share \$6 pf. 69 Elec. Power & Light \$7 pf. 35 Flintkote 19 Food Machinery Corp. 33 Gen. American Trans. 49 Gen. Electric 364 Gen. Motors 483 Gen. Railway Signal 15 General Tire & Rubber Co. 21 Glidden Co. 163 Goodrich (B.F.) 184 Goodrich \$5 pf. 67 Goodyear Tire & Co. 274 Great Northern Iron Ore 132 Great Northern Rly. pf. 248 Great Western Sugar 254 Greyhound Corp. 18 Hecter Products 12 Hercules Powder Co. 744 Homestake Mining 644 Industrial Rayon 26 International Harvester 513 Int. Nickel 494

SILVER MARKET

London, Aug. 9 (Reuter).

LONDON SILVER

Silver—India bought. Speculators bought and sold. Business small. Market quietly steady.

Spot, 16-7/8d. Forward, 16-1/2d.

NEW YORK SILVER

New York, Aug. 9 (Reuter). Official Price, 34-3/4.

BOMBAY SILVER

Bombay, Aug. 9 (Reuter). Market—Quiet but steady.

Offtake 25 bars.

Indian Mint Silver

Ready 45-10

Sept. 9 Settlement 45-05

Oct. 9 Settlement 44-15

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA STATEMENT

Calcutta, Aug. 9 (Reuter). July 28 Aug. 4

Notes in circulation (including Notes held in the Banking Department) 21,430 21,471

Rupee Coin and Bullion in India 7,301 7,341

Gold Coin and Bullion in India 4,154 4,154

Securities ("Indian Government") 3,737 3,737

Securities (British Government) 5,950 5,950

FINANCE

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE

SHAREHOLDERS' ASSOCIATION

THURSDAY 10. AUG.

Buyers Sellers Nomina

Buyers

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Hong Kong, 25th Feb., 1939.

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SHOU J. CHEN,

Manager

HUGE RELIEF PROGRAMME: TEACHERS AND STUDENTS FROM WAR ZONES

CHUNGKING, August 10 (Central)—Hundreds of thousands of teachers and students from the war zones have been provided relief by the Ministry of Education since the enforcement of a gigantic relief programme in the spring of last year. Following a registration process, most of the teachers and students have been sent to new schools established by the Ministry.

Altogether more than 400 professors, lecturers, and assistants have registered. A part of them have been sent to continue teaching in institutions of higher learning in the rear, while others are attached to the Textbooks Editing Commission, the National Editing and Translation Institute and other educational and cultural organs under the Ministry of Education. Up to date, several hundred kinds of reading matter have been turned out by them.

Moderate Subsidies

Over 2,800 college and university students have registered. Most of them, given with necessary travelling expenses and moderate subsidies, have been sent to institutions of higher learning in the rear to continue their studies. About 400 have been sent to do wartime work by the Political Department of the National Military Council, following a period of intense training.

Aside from a reduction of tuition fees, students who are in extreme financial difficulty may get loans from the Ministry. Between 7,000 and 8,000 such students have raised loans which amounted to over \$70,000 in the 26th fiscal year and \$20,000 in the last fiscal year.

The Bank's Head Office in London undertakes Executor and Trustee business, and claims recovery of British Income Tax overpaid, on terms which may be ascertained at any of the Agencies and Branches.

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The Burden Of Arms: Over £3,404,273,500 Spent By Powers In 1938

LONDON, July 21 (By Air Mail)—A study of the effects of this vast expenditure in arms on the finances of nations has been made by two bodies: the League of Nations and the Foreign Policy Association of New York.

Although these organisations have made independent investigations, their conclusions are substantially the same. The period covered by their inquiry is from 1932 to 1938.

Financial War
The report issued by the League of Nations and the report of the

MISSING FROM P. & O. CORFU

NURSING SISTER'S DISAPPEARANCE

SHANGHAI, Aug. 10 (Reuters)—A wireless message was received in Shanghai to-day reporting that an Englishwoman, Miss Hilda Chester, was missing from the P. & O. Corfu which left Shanghai for England on Aug. 1.

Miss Chester, aged 30, was a Sister in the Shanghai Municipal Council's Isolation Hospital, which she joined five years ago on her arrival in Shanghai from England.

First Home Leave
She was on her first home leave and was bound for Liverpool where her sister lives. She disappeared from the Corfu on Aug. 6.

Her friends in Chantilly and Shantou report that she was very cheerful on leaving and quoted her as saying that she was looking forward to being in England again.

GENERAL

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

MAERSK LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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having arrived from New York and Ports of call Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

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No Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JESSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 10th Aug., 1939. [613]

ATTACK IN AERIAL WARFARE

BOMBING PLANE'S ROLE

Primary importance of attack in aerial warfare was stressed by Marshal of the Royal Air Force, Viscount Trinchard, Chief of Air Staff from 1918-1929, when he spoke recently at the opening of

the new, Central Scotland airport at Grangemouth.

"I look back," he said, "to the day when Britain had the greatest Air Force in the world—more than 300,000 officers and men than the end of 1918. We now see the Service gradually regaining the strength it had then. A type of pilot and man is coming forward second to none in the world."

"This country must be the terror of all aggressors. It is my firm belief that we must be strong with the attacking weapon and not place too much reliance on the defending weapon. If we rely on defensive measures only for the protection of this country the enemy will always be round choosing foggy days, dark days and bad weather to paralyze the life of the nation."

"But if we can attack the enemy's goal harder we can draw back some" of the attackers in order to defend their goal. I by no means want to do away with the defences, but I do say, that the greater proportion of our strength and our resources should be devoted to that weapon which will win a war."

53 M.P.H. 'BABY' TORPEDO-BOAT IS BRITAIN'S LATEST NAVY FIGHTER

Britain's naval striking forces are increasing every day.

On July 28 a "baby" motor-torpedo-boat known as the K40 type, was demonstrated on Southampton Water.

The "baby" attained a speed of 42½ knots (53 m.p.h.)—far in excess of boats with greater power on her trials.

This speed was returned with 20 people abroad, more than twice the normal complement, and additional ballast.

Flight-Commander Claude Graham-White, who put the boat through her paces, said that the offensive and defensive power of motor-torpedo-boats was out of all proportion to their small cost.

Foreign Policy Association make it clear that a financial war is being waged, and that, unless sanity returns, we may expect catastrophe and chaos.

In both these reports account has been taken only of the sums actually expended on the creation and maintenance of Armies, Navies, and Air Forces.

No attention has been paid to the vast sums of money spent on public works of a military nature. The sums estimated as having been disbursed by Germany and Italy are approximate, official figures not being available.

From 1932 to 1934 the increase of military expenditure was slow, but during those three years Great Britain, Germany, Italy, France, Japan, Russia, and the United States raised their armament costs from £557,478,632 to £788,888,683.

It was only in 1935 that Great Britain and France, justly alarmed, began to take a serious hand in the game.

Fourfold Increase

This figure of £788,888,683 spent by the seven Powers in 1934 was increased to £1,591,25,410 in 1935, but in 1938 over £2,404,273,500 was spent.

From these figures it will be seen that the Powers in question

multiplied their expenditure on

armaments by more than four times.

War material has a habit of rapidly becoming obsolete. This is particularly true in these days of scientific advance, when aviation makes such rapid strides, and when the equipment of mechanized armies is being constantly improved.

A LONG, LONG NAME

YORK, England.—The British

like to name their autos, planes,

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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 11 to 17 Aug. 1930

HONG KONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., August 10.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.69 ins.

Temperature, 82 F.

Humidity, 84 per cent.

Wind Direction, N.W.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 2.

Temperature, maximum yesterday, 82 F.

Temperature, minimum last night, 78 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs ending 10th to-day, 0.31 ins.

Total rainfall since January 1st, 67.45 ins.

Against an average of 57.87 ins.

Sunrise to-night, 6.59 p.m.

Maximum temperature, 87 F.

Minimum temperature, 78 F.

Rainfall, 0.00.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.68 ins.

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FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

AMOY

Tjibidak, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 11.

Cramer, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 13.

Suyang, B. & S. Aug. 15.

Taitung, Jardine's, Aug. 11.

B. & S. Aug. 13.

Keang, Jardine's, Aug. 16.

Hoihow, B. & S. Aug. 18.

Kwaisang, Jardine's, Aug. 18.

Dairen

Ramse, Jardine's, Aug. 18.

Narino, B. & S. Aug. 18.

Ranch, P. & O. Aug. 31.

Emp. of Russi, C. P. S. Sept. 1.

Elbe, Melchers, Aug. 24.

R. C. Rickmers, Jardine's, Aug. 25.

JAPAN

Meerk, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 11.

Huda Maerak, Jardine's, Aug. 11.

Tricolor, Thoresen's, Aug. 11.

Tantius, B. & S. Aug. 12.

Suwa Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 12.

Pres. Taft, A. P. Lines, Aug. 12.

Atuta Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 12.

Ramse, Jardine's, Aug. 16.

Formosa, Gilman's, Aug. 16.

Nowhere, B. I. (Apcar), Aug. 17.

Emp. of Russi, C. P. S. Aug. 18.

Kutsang, Jardine's, Aug. 19.

Talibybus, B. & S. Aug. 19.

Elbe, Melchers, Aug. 24.

R. C. Rickmers, Jardine's, Aug. 25.

JAPAN

Tjibidak, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 22.

Cramer, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 22.

Tjijalengka, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 22.

Bangkok

Hiram, Thoresen's, Aug. 22.

Tatutu Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 22.

Hellu, Thoresen's, Aug. 22.

Balaya

Tjibidak, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 22.

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Cramer, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 22.

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Van Buran, A. P. Lines, Aug. 22.

Canton, P. & O. Aug. 22.

Nagore, P. & O. Aug. 22.

Zinca, Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 22.

Jeyore, P. & O. Aug. 30.

Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, Sept. 1.

Boston and New York

Pres. Van Buran, A. P. Lines, Aug. 17.

Glaucus, B. & S. Aug. 23.

Silverlaurel, Furness, Aug. 23.

Gizo

Friderun, Melchers, Aug. 14.

Haiphong

Tai Seun Hong, Jardine's, Aug. 11.

Kwangtung, B. & S. Aug. 12.

Jean Dupuis, B. & S. Aug. 15.

Taiyuan, B. & S. Aug. 16.

Proteus, Jardine's, Aug. 17.

Buyu, J. C. J. Line, Aug. 18.

Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, Aug. 25.

Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 25.

Pres. Cleveland, A. P. Lines, Aug. 26.

Marchen Maerak, Jardine's, Aug. 27.

Tatutu Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 27.

Arans, Jardine's, Aug. 27.

Formosa, Gilman's, Aug. 28.

Kutang, Jardine's, Aug. 28.

Hoihow, B. & S. Aug. 28.

Wel-Hai-Wei

Mingang, Jardine's, Aug. 13.

Yunnan, B. & S. Aug. 13.

Eking, Jardine's, Aug. 16.

Kwaisang, Jardine's, Aug. 18.

Taku

Elbe, Melchers, Aug. 24.

Haiphong

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Aug. 18.

Marchen Maerak, Jardine's, Aug. 27.

Sawoku, Thoresen's, Aug. 29.

Kanton and New York

Huda Maerak, Jardine's, Aug. 11.

Naga Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 12.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Aug. 18.

Marchen Maerak, Jardine's, Aug. 27.

Sawoku, Thoresen's, Aug. 29.

Honolulu

Asama Maru, N. Y. K. Aug. 11.

Pres. Taft, A. P. Lines, Aug. 12.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Aug. 18.

Emp. of Russi, C. P. S. Aug. 18.

Pres. Cleveland, A. P. Lines, Aug. 26.

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NEW YORK via Panama.

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LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Suez.

HAKONE MARU 11th Aug.

BUSIMI MARU 28th Aug.

FAKOZAKI MARU 5th Sept.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Davao, Thurs-

day Island, Brisbane.

KAMO MARU 26th Aug.

BOMBAY & KARACHI via Singapore & Colombo.

TANGO MARU 13th Aug.

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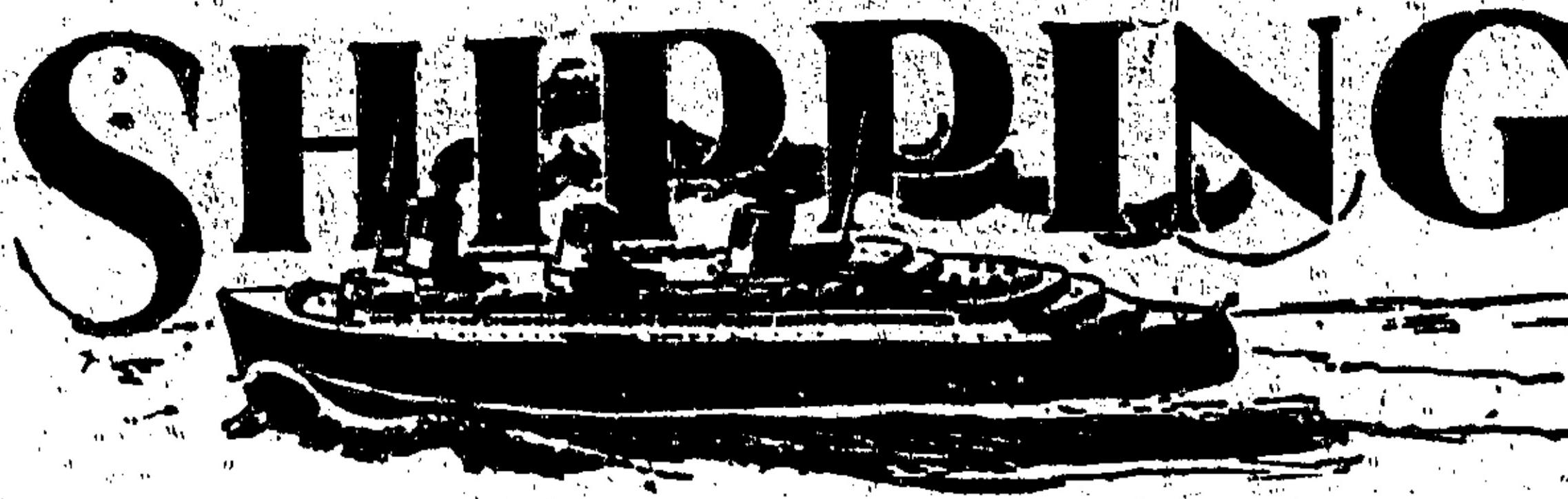
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Tricolor, Norwegian, 4,208 registered tons Capt. T. Pedersen from Europe & Straits 7 a.m. at K'loon Wharf—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Min Sang, British, 2,023 registered tons Capt. C. M. Carter from Haliphong & Pakhoi a.m. at buoy No. A—B.J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Hakone Maru, Japanese, 6,306 registered tons Capt. T. Fujita from Japan & Shai 7 a.m. at buoy No. A2—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Tantalus, British, 4,809 registered tons Capt. N. Ivison from Europe & Straits 6 a.m. at Holt's Wharf—R. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Pres. Taft, American, 8,001 registered tons Capt. O. A. Pierson from Manila 10 a.m. at K'loon Wharf—A.F.L. (Tel. 28171).

Burdwan, British, 2,878 registered tons Capt. C. R. Mill from Japan and Shai 8 a.m. at buoy No. A15—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Changon, British, 2,235 registered tons Capt. L. N. Beer from K.C. Wan a.m. at buoy No. B2—Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

Min. French, 4,176 registered tons Capt. Augaud from Shai 3 p.m. at K'loon Wharf—M.M. (Tel. 26651).

New Mathilde, British, 935 registered tons Capt. R. Wherry from K.C. Wan 4 a.m. at C.M.S.N. Wharf—Shun Cheong & Co. (Tel. 22480).

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Singapore Maru, Japanese, 4,257 registered tons Capt. S. Kanabako from Milke at buoy No. A18—M.B.K. (Tel. 30271).

Lexa Maersk, Danish, 3,388 registered tons Capt. A. Jensen from U.S.A., Japan & Shai at K'loon Wharf—Jeben & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Kwelyang, British, 1,580 registered tons Capt. E. H. Histed from Shanghai at buoy No. B1—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kwangtung, British, 1,572 registered tons Capt. S. M. Barling from buoy No. B15 for Haiphong 2 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Siridhana, British, 4,835 registered tons Capt. P. Fairbairn from buoy No. A1 for S'pore, Port Swettenham & Penang 3 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Yat Shing, British, 1,424 registered tons Capt. G. Clarke from buoy No. B9 for Swatow, Shanghai Chefoo and Tsin 4 p.m.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Fusijama, Italian, 3,907 registered tons Capt. Holzhansen from Europe via Saigon at buoy No. A11—Lloyd Triestino. (Tel. 32983).

Kwangtung, British, 1,572 registered tons Capt. S. M. Barling from Tientsin at buoy No. B15 — B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Szechuan, British, 1,594 registered tons Capt. A. Cook from Pakhoi, Holloway and K.C. Wan at buoy No. B2—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tricolor, Norwegian, 4,208 registered tons Capt. T. Pedersen from K'loon Wharf for Shai & Japan p.m.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Tsinan, British, 2,100 registered tons Capt. J. K. Clark from Haiphong at buoy No. B18—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Shinai, British, 1,415 registered tons Capt. G. Evans from Shai at Durban, East London, Port Elizabeth & Co. (Tel. 26037).

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Yannati, Burgoyne & Co. (Tel. 32763).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 405 registered tons Capt. I. d' de Lemon from K.C. Wan at Salkong wharf. — Tai Yau S.S. & Co. (Tel. 27273).

DUE TO-MORROW

Victoria, Italian, 7,145 registered tons Capt. Carini from Shai 9 a.m. at K'loon Wharf—Lloyd Triestino. (Tel. 32983).

Tango Maru, Japanese, from Japan & Shai a.m. at buoy No. A—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Talithyplus, British, 6,492 registered tons Capt. Purkies from Victoria, Japan and Shai a.m. at buoy No. A7—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Surva Maru, Japanese, 6,637 registered tons Capt. Mishima from Europe & Straits a.m. at buoy No. A9—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Hakone Maru, Japanese, 6,306 registered tons Capt. T. Fujita from buoy No. B2 for S'pore, London, Marseilles, Naples via Suez p.m.—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Hulda Maersk, Danish, 3,930 registered tons Capt. V. Vernum from buoy No. A8 for Keeleung, Shai, Japan and U.S.A. p.m.—Feb-sen & Co. (Tel. 31205).

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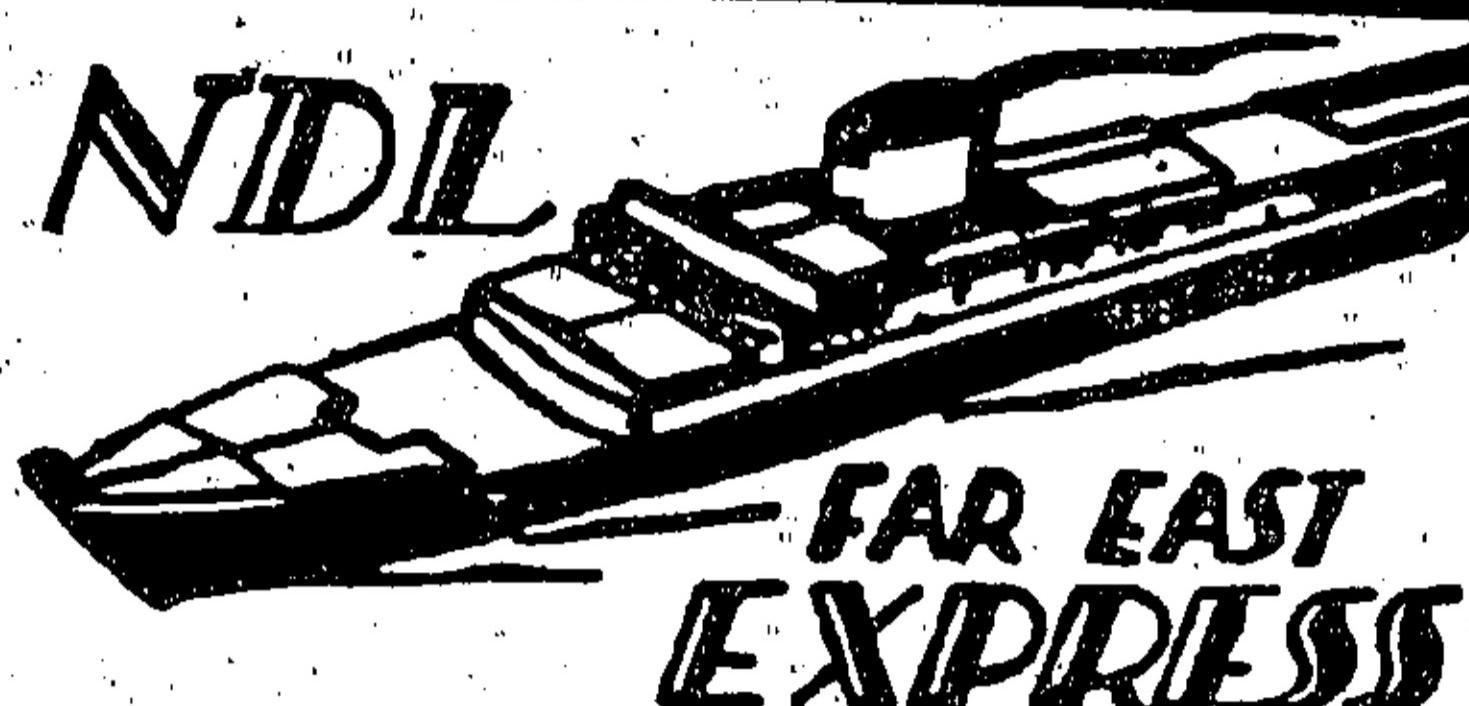
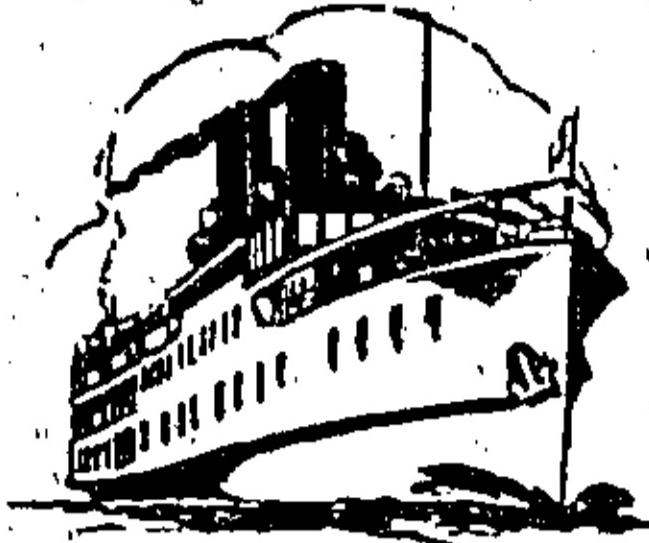
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"ALI BABA" PANTOMIME TO BE PRODUCED BY Y.M.C.A. IN DECEMBER: CAST OF 61

MOTION FOR CROWN TO PAY COSTS

APPLICATION DISMISSED

A motion brought by Mr. M. H. Turner and Mr. H. J. Armstrong, trustees of Messrs. Deacons, trustees of the estate of the late Sir Paul Chater, for costs against the Crown arising out of their successful appeal against conviction for permitting premises in Swatow Lane to be used as a brothel, was dismissed by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, who sat with the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in the Full Court yesterday morning.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K.C., instructed by Messrs. Deacons, appeared for the applicants and the Crown was represented by Mr. J. E. Prentis, Assistant Crown Solicitor.

Counsel for the applicants, after quoting authorities to show that the Crown should pay costs when unsuccessful, went on to say that the general rule in England was that the Crown neither gave nor received costs, but he submitted, this could not be applied in Hongkong because of a provision which treated the Crown as an ordinary litigant, liable to receive or pay costs.

The discretion of the Court said Mr. Sheldon, should be exercised in favour of his clients. They were trustees of an estate and the proceedings against them were entirely misconceived.

CROWN'S REPLY

The Assistant Crown Solicitor, replying, agreed that the Court had discretion in the matter but submitted that the general rule of the Court neither paying nor receiving costs should not be departed from.

Mr. Prentis also submitted that if the applicants chose to own property, whether in trust or otherwise, in an unsavoury neighbourhood, they could not be in a better position than that of an individual holding it in his own personal rights, for it would mean the Crown taking proceedings against trustees at its own peril.

The only occasion, concluded Mr. Prentis, in criminal proceedings where costs could be awarded against the Crown was where there was something malicious or oppressive in the conduct of the prosecution.

MOTION DISMISSED

In dismissing the motion, the Chief Justice said:

We are grateful to Counsel of both sides for the very careful and full arguments with which they have assisted us, but in our view the point for decision is really a simple one. We are dealing with criminal proceedings and an appeal from the decision of a Magistrate.

In our view there is no question whatever as to our power to award costs, either for or against the Crown in such proceedings, but there is, and long has been, a well-set rule of practice that in criminal matters an appeal for costs is made unless in cases, happily rare, where the prosecution has been undertaken maliciously or oppressively.

In the case we are now considering, this is the only real point for consideration. The proceedings were taken under an Ordinance, the wording of which had given my Brother and myself considerable food for thought.

I can find nothing in the proceedings that savours either of oppression or of malice, and the view that I have formed is that there is no reason why this Court should depart from the well-set rule of practice. The motion is therefore dismissed.

The French Premier, Mr. Daladier, will prolong his vacation for an indefinite period. It is stated that developments do not require the Premier's presence in the capital.—(T.O.)

Mr. Youngsye, who is Senior Science Master at the Diocesan Boys' School, gave evidence of his meeting an armed Chinese on the private road leading up to the Diocesan Boys' School about noon on May 30.

Hearing police whistles being blown, Mr. Youngsye gave chase to the man, who fired at him first

a single shot and then, when Mr. Youngsye continued the chase,

two more shots.

Mr. Youngsye stated in evidence, "I was hurrying down the D.B.S. drive. When near the foot

of the drive, I saw a man in Chinese dress running up the slope past me. I noticed he had a black cloth umbrella."

Mr. Youngsye stated in evidence, "I went up to the School, and later returned with another Master to where I had last seen him. Some workmen on the estate pointed out a certain shed to us where they saw him enter. I last saw the man coming out of the hut, crossing Kadoorie Avenue, and going up the hill on the other side."

Hearing of the case will be con-

tinued this afternoon.

When I came down the curve to the bottom, I heard a police whistle blowing. I turned back after the man. When about 60

yards behind him, I shouted up in Punti, "Hey! What are you doing there?" He turned around and fired a shot at me with, I think, a revolver.

"He ran up the slope, and I chased him. He went around the curve, and when I saw him again he turned around and fired two shots at me. He ran up the bank, and I ran around the bend, trying to intercept him. He ran up the slope towards the Braga estate.

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PATROL BOAT SUNK

JERUSALEM, Aug. 10 (T/Ocean) — A coastal patrol boat, "Sinbad," belonging to the British Palestine Police, sank near Wadi Falix, south of Nazareth, following an explosion on board.

One member of the crew, a British police sergeant, was killed. Two other members of the crew of seven were injured and have been conveyed to a hospital in Haifa.

SWIMMING SPORTS OF MIDDLESEX REGIMENT

The annual aquatic sports of the 1st Battalion, The Middlesex Regiment, were held in the Victoria Recreation Club pool yesterday afternoon. Keen competition was witnessed, and Headquarters Company emerged victors with 43 points.

Lt-Col. L. A. Newham, M.C., Officer Commanding, was the referee, and Major H. W. M. Stewart, O.B.E., M.C., was chief judge. At the end of the sports, prizes were distributed by Mrs. Newham.

Results:—

1. Plunging (team of two):—1. "C" Coy, 2. "HQ" Coy.
2. 150 Yards Medley Race:—1. "HQ" Coy, 2. "B" Coy.
3. 800 Yards Free Style:—1. "A" Coy, 2. "HQ" Coy.
4. Diving (team of two):—1. "HQ" Coy, 2. "B" Coy.
5. 300 Yards Free Style:—1. "D" Coy, 2. "HQ" Coy.
6. 60 Yards Free Style for enlisted boys:—1. Boy Plumbage, 2. Boy Harrington.

7. 400 Yards Free Style:—1. "A" Coy, 2. "HQ" Coy.

Table of Points:—1. "HQ" Coy, 43 points; 2. "A" Coy, 34; "B" Coy, 27; "D" Coy, 26; "C" Coy, 20.

The details of the proposal submitted recently by the Mexican Ambassador to Washington for a settlement of oil controversy became known to some extent yesterday. The envoy suggested that a neutral group be formed to take charge of the property of the expropriated American oil companies.—(Transocean).

For

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Date and Time

FOREIGN MAIIS

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 11th AUGUST, 1939, 9.30 A.M.

Parcel Post Service to the Province of Yunnan is temporarily suspended. Registered and Parcel Post Service to Foochow is temporarily suspended.

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INWARD MAIIS

From	Per	Due
Shanghai	Min.	11th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Tango Maru.....	11th Aug.
Salon	Loc.....	11th Aug.
Shanghai	Lima Maru.....	11th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Hakone Maru.....	11th Aug.
Shanghai	Burdwan.....	11th Aug.
Straits	Tantalus.....	11th Aug.
Manila	Pres. Taft.....	11th Aug.
Patkot, Hoihow and Fort Bayard	Szechuan.....	11th Aug.
Shanghai	M/V Victoria.....	12th Aug.
Straits	Haiphong and Fort Bayard.....	12th Aug.
Shanghai	Suwa Maru.....	12th Aug.
Shanghai and Amoy	Jean Dupuis.....	13th Aug.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam	Sinkiang.....	13th Aug.
(Papers etc.) London	Klungchow.....	13th Aug.
13th July.	Hector.....	13th Aug.
Tientsin	Hollow.....	13th Aug.
Straits	Perseus.....	13th Aug.
Shanghai	Talithybius.....	13th Aug.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London	Imperial	14th Aug.
9th August.	Airways Plane	14th Aug.
Australia and Manila	Atuta Maru.....	15th Aug.
Manila	Clearroy.....	15th Aug.
Manila	Adrastus.....	15th Aug.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco	Pan American Airways	16th Aug.
9th August.	Direct Service	16th Aug.
Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"—Paris	Air France	16th Aug.
9th August.	Plane	16th Aug.
Straits and Europe via Suez	Rajputana.....	16th Aug.
(Papers etc.) London	Emp. of Russia.....	16th Aug.
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London date, 13th July.	Aramis.....	16th Aug.
London date, 13th July.	Nowshera.....	16th Aug.
London date, 13th July.	Imperial	17th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Airways Plane	17th Aug.
Calcutta and Straits	Pre. Doumer.....	17th Aug.
Java and Manila	Kutsang.....	17th Aug.
Saigon	Pre. Van Buren.....	17th Aug.
Calcutta and Straits	Santos Maru.....	17th Aug.
Japan	British M/V Canton.....	18th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Nagara Maru.....	18th Aug.
Manila	Tottori Maru.....	20th Aug.

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